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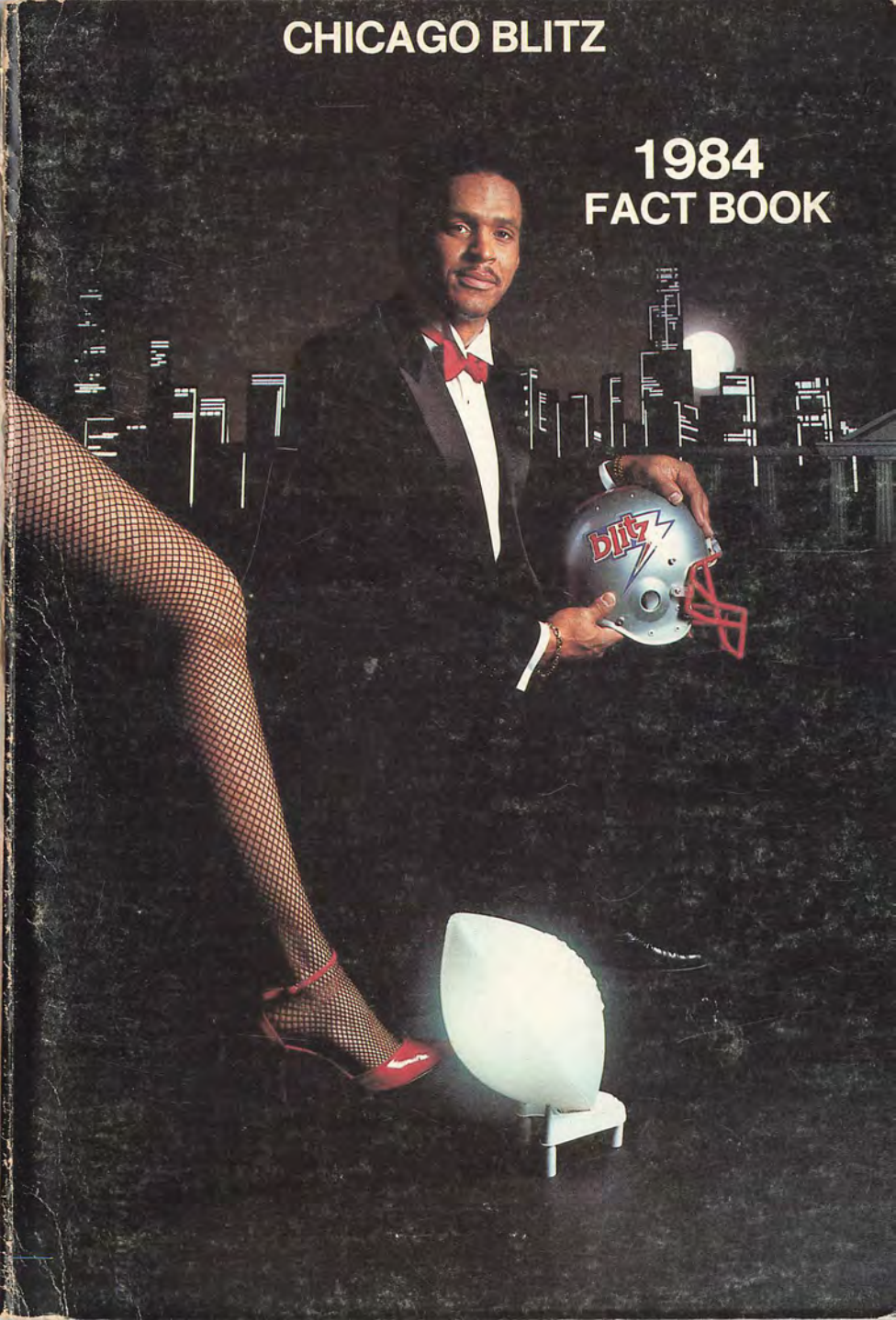

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1984 CHICAGO BLITZ SCHEDULE

(Times listed are CHICAGO times)

Monday, February 27	at Michigan Panthers	6:00 p.m.
Sunday, March 4	at Memphis Showboats	1:30 p.m.
Sunday, March 11	**HOUSTON GAMBLERS**	**1:30 p.m.**
Saturday, March 17	**OKLAHOMA OUTLAWS**	**3:00 p.m.**
Sunday, March 25	at New Orleans Breakers	1:30 p.m.
Saturday, March 31	at Washington Federals	1:30 p.m.
Saturday, April 7	**SAN ANTONIO GUNSLINGERS**	**1:30 p.m.**
Sunday, April 15	at Philadelphia Stars	1:30 p.m.
Friday, April 20	**LOS ANGELES EXPRESS**	**8:00 p.m.**
Sunday, April 29	**OAKLAND INVADERS**	**1:30 p.m.**
Sunday, May 6	at San Antonio Gunslingers	1:30 p.m.
Friday, May 11	at Denver Gold	8:00 p.m.
Friday, May 18	**BIRMINGHAM STALLIONS**	**7:00 p.m.**
Monday, May 28	**NEW JERSEY GENERALS**	**7:00 p.m.**
Saturday, June 2	at Oklahoma Outlaws	7:30 p.m.
Sunday, June 10	at Houston Gamblers	1:30 p.m.
Friday, June 15	**ARIZONA WRANGLERS**	**7:00 p.m.**
Sunday, June 24	**MICHIGAN PANTHERS**	**1:30 p.m.**

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THE HISTORY OF THE CHICAGO BLITZ

The creation of the Chicago Football Club, Inc., as a charter member of the United States Football League, was unveiled at a gala press conference in Chicago's Merchandise Mart on June 21, 1982.

The story began.

The owners were Phoenix-based cardiovascular surgeon Edward B. (Ted) Diethrich, California developer and manufacturer Willard V. (Bill) Harris and legendary coach George Allen.

Following a brief, 10-day "Name the Team" contest, the new Chicago entry into professional football was named "The Blitz." More than 20,000 suggestions poured in from some 15,000 fans from Illinois and 19 other states.

The contest had begun during an interview between Allen and WGN Radio's Wally Phillips. The team's name came from a list of 3,351 suggested names that ranged from the Aces to the Zephyrs, with Butchers, Cohos, Fury, Grizzlies, Hit Men, Rhinos and Skyscrapers in between.

The christening came on July 22,1982, and the building of a franchise took shape. Players were signed, trades were made, free agent tryout camps were staged and a season's preparation took shape.

The inaugural season's training camp was based at Glendale Community College in northwest suburban Phoenix, Ariz., while a permanent training site was created at "Blitz Park" in the Maine North High School complex in the Chicago suburb of Des Plaines.

The season of 1983 opened in Washington, D.C.'s, RFK Memorial Stadium with a 28-7 victory over the Washington Federals. The Blitz went on to a 12-6 record, setting numerous standards for defensive performance, and equalling the Central Division titlist, the Michigan Panthers, for the second best regular season record in the USFL's first season.

The Blitz qualified as a wild card in the first USFL championship playoffs, but lost, 44-38 in overtime, to the Philadelphia Stars. The Stars were defeated, 24-22, by the Panthers in the First USFL Championship Game on July 17, 1983.

Artistically, the season was successful in its record and reaching the playoffs. During the nine-game home season in Chicago's Soldier Field, the Blitz averaged an in-house attendance of 18,090 on a ticket distribution average of 25,301 per game.

Oddly, on the road, the Blitz drew an average attendance of 27,044. Including the playoff game in Philadelphia's Veterans Stadium, the Chicago franchise drew a total of 421,893 spectators (an average of 22,205).

Weather was a decidedly important factor for in-house attendance throughout the season, one in which the open opener was visited with blizzard-like conditions and 8 inches of snow. Sleet, rain or threatening conditions were present for four home games, while the final three were played in extremely high temperatures.

Rain was a factor in five of the nine road games the Blitz played.

The future of the Chicago Football Club took an unsettling turn on July 15,1983, when it became public that Dr. Diethrich wished to sell the franchise and purchase the Arizona charter entry into the USFL.

During the next 79 days, two franchises — Chicago's and Arizona's — were in limbo, waiting for the eventual joint sales and ownership changes.

The complicated completion of the sales came on Friday, September 30, 1983, in joint press conferences, 2,000 miles apart — at the Continental Hotel in Chicago and the Arizona Heart Institute in Phoenix. The details of what happened:

• The Chicago Football Club was sold by Dr. Diethrich and his partners to James F. Hoffman, Jr., M.D., of Milwaukee.

Dr. Hoffman acquired the charter Chicago franchise, the leases to Soldier Field and "Blitz Park" and four players on the original Chicago Blitz roster — wide receiver Marcus Anderson, quarterback Tim Koegel, cornerback Virgil Livers and running back Jim Stone.

In addition, 55 players on the 1983 Arizona Wrangler roster became members of the Chicago Blitz.

• Dr. Diethrich acquired the charter Arizona Wranglers franchise from former owner Jim Joseph of San Mateo, Calif., and assumed all outstanding contractual obligations held by Jim Joseph.

In addition, Diethrich brought 40 players who had been on the 1983 Chicago Blitz roster at the end of the inaugural season, plus those signed prior to Sept. 30, to the Valley of the Sun and kept two players from the Arizona Wrangler 1983 roster — quarterback Alan Risher and offensive tackle Jeff Kiewel.

Dr. Diethrich also brought George Allen and his entire coaching staff retained from the 1983 season, the scouting department and General Manager Bruce Allen to Phoenix.

Friday, Sept. 30,1983, marked the change in course for the Chicago Football Club and Dr. Hoffman's stewardship. As the new majority owner and president, Dr. Hoffman named Marv Levy as head football coach.

The Chicago Blitz Second Edition was reborn and operational. In essence, the football organization was an expansion franchise with a year's worth of work ahead in a short five-month period prior to the opening of the 1984 season.

During the succeeding months, Levy named his coaching staff, selecting a variety of veteran professional and collegiate coaches, and named a support staff steeped in professional football savy.

An expanded player personnel department and marketing/public relations staff was crafted from seasoned professionals.

By the time the Blitz entered its pre-season training camp at Scottsdale (Ariz.) High School, 22 of the 55 former Arizona Wranglers were elsewhere in the USFL. . .17 of them used in trades to obtain rights to players with NFL experience, resulting in the signing eight key veteran NFL performers and trades that led to 13 other players with extensive NFL experience.

The complete rebuilding process continued in earnest with major signings following trades.

The avalanche of NFL signings began on Nov. 15, 1983, when quarterback Vince Evans was announced as the first player to leave the established league for the USFL and the Chicago Blitz. Evans, a seven-year NFL veteran with the Chicago Bears, had started 32 of the 62 NFL games he had played.

A week later, Gary Lewis, who spent the past three seasons with the

Green Bay Packers as a back-up tight end and wide receiver, joined the Blitz.

Marv Levy and player personnel director Bill Polian then began picking away at NFL rosters and recent NFL players to assemble a team that had the experience of playing professional football, but with the youth to perform at peak efficiency in the USFL.

Prior to coming to Scottsdale, the Blitz had placed 20 former NFL players on its roster, including former veteran Chicago Bear safety Doug Plank, Kansas City Chief starting offensive guard Bob Simmons, New England Patriot running back Vagas Ferguson and Chief-Cleveland Brown punter Jeff Gossett.

The training camp in Scottsdale became a classroom of football, molding a team from a diverse set of individuals and talents. Part of that exercise was a series of full game scrimmage sessions with three USFL teams — the Michigan Panthers, the Oakland Invaders and the Denver Gold.

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DR. HOFFMAN—MAJORITY OWNER

He drives race cars, raises show horses and has extensive holdings and investments in real estate, gas and oil. He is also a reknowned cardiovascular surgeon with a thriving medical practice in Milwaukee.

James F. Hoffman, Jr., is a man of diverse interests and energies. The autumn of 1983 placed him in still another avocation. But this one has become as serious as his vocation as a surgeon.

Dr. Hoffman became the president and majority owner of the Chicago Football Club, Inc., known as the Chicago Blitz. He assumed ownership on Sept. 30, 1983, in one of the most massive transactions in professional sports history.

THE OWNERSHIP OF the 1983 Blitz, coaching and scouting staff and 40 of the original Blitz players moved to Phoenix to become the New Arizona Wranglers. It was an organization that posted a 12-6 record during the 1983 inaugural season of the United States Football League and made the playoffs.

Dr. Hoffman became the owner of the Charter USFL franchise in Chicago; its leases at Chicago's Soldier Field and Maine North High School, "Blitz Park," the permanent training site for the franchise; four of the original Blitz players from 1983; and 55 players who were on the Arizona Wrangler roster at the time of the sale.

He then gave his management staff the tools to recreate a franchise that would reach out to the community in its marketing efforts and his coaching and player personnel staff the opportunity to find and sign the best talent available and suited to its philosophies.

Dr. Hoffman's entry into the search for a buyer of the Chicago Blitz came around Labor Day 1983 when several other potential buyers bowed out of the picture. And he entered his new world of professional football with the same fervor he has applied to all other endeavors.

DR. HOFFMAN IS a native of Fort Collins, Colo., where he competed in football, track and baseball and excelling in his athletic efforts.

His father was a doctor and Hoffman followed in the same path. He graduated from the University of Colorado Medical School in the early 1960s and moved on to Houston's Texas Medical Center to train under internationally reknowned cardiovascular surgeons, Dr. Michael DeBakey and Dr. Denton Cooley.

It was here that he first met Dr. Ted Diethrich, the man who sold the Chicago Blitz to Hoffman two decades later.

Following his Houston residency, Dr. Hoffman served two years in the U.S. Navy as a Lt. Commander in Vietnam.

MILWAUKEE WAS THE next port of call as Dr. Hoffman joined the staff at Good Samaritan Hospital, where he has been associated for the past 10 years. Today, he is chief of cardiovascular surgery at the hospital.

An avid sports fan and Green Bay Packer afficionado, Dr. Hoffman drives race cars with his 19-year-old son, Jim IIII, a sophomore at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

His 16-year-old daughter, Kristin, is one of the leading horse show riders in her age division in the nation. She is a junior at University Lake School.

Dr. Hoffman and his wife, Marty's , oldest child, Stephanie, 20, is a junior premedical student at Marquette University in Milwaukee.

Says Dr. Hoffman, "I got into the Blitz because I'm extremely interested in sports. There's no way it can be profitable yet, but I feel good about the USFL, better now than I did when I first became involved."

MARV LEVY—HEAD COACH

The career of Marvin Daniel (Marv) Levy has touched four decades on all levels of football, reaching its zenith twice while coaching North of the Border in the Canadian Football League in winning the Grey Cub Championship, the Super Bowl of the CFL.

But on Sept. 30, 1983, Marv Levy took on his most challenging assignment, reshaping the fortunes of the Chicago franchise of the United States Football League, known as the Chicago Bliz.

On that date, the franchise ownership changed, all but four players on the original Blitz roster moved to Phoenix and Levy assumed command of a list of 55 players who had known only frustration and hardship as the original Arizona Wranglers.

MARV LEVY WAS returning home after decades of learning his trade and teaching it to players throughout the nation and Canada.

"I'm a football coach," he said on that transition day. "It's an opportunity to coach in a place I want to coach, with people whom I've come to like and believe in. Coaching excites me. I'd rather be in the arena, first and foremost."

Levy walked into his office as head coach with a roster of players, recognizable only on a typed list. He had no assistant coaches or a player personnel department or a support staff. Only the name, the Chicago Blitz, and its attendant benefits as a charter member of the United States Football League.

In 108 days, he would open a season training camp in Scottsdale, Ariz., to prepare a team to play a demanding 18-game championship schedule.

The 53-year-old Levy had chartered quite a schedule for himself.

MARV LEVY GREW up on Chicago's South Side, attending and starring at South Shore High School. He moved on to Coe College in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where he became an outstanding running back and a Phi Beta Kappa graduate. He added to that degree a master's in English History from Harvard.

He began his coaching career in 1951 at St. Louis Country Day School, where his teams were 13-0-1 in two seasons. He returned to Coe as an assistant in 1953 for three seasons under his college coach, Dick Clausen, former coach at New Trier High School on Chicago's North Shore.

Clausen moved on to New Mexico in 1956 and Levy followed. "He (Clausen) had a lot of influence in my career," Levy says. In 1958, Levy took over the New Mexico job as head coach, earning Skyline Conference Coach-of-the-Year honors twice.

He moved on to California in 1960 for four seasons, replacing Pete Elliott. In his final season (1963) Craig Morton was his quarterback and team's most valuable player. Morton went on to an 18-year NFL career and is now head coach of the Denver Gold of the USFL.

LEVY'S NEXT STOP was at William & Mary for a a five-year stint, producing the school's first winning season in 12 seasons and producing 22 All-Southern Conference players. He was twice named Southern Conference Coach-of-the-Year.

After 11 years as a collegiate head coach, the pros beckoned and Levy took the big step. In 1969, he joined Philadelphia Eagles as kicking team coach and the following year joined George Allen's Los Angeles Rams staff.

Levy moved with Allen to the Washington Redskins the following year and remained through the 1972 Super Bowl VII season as special teams coach. With a great emphasis on the Levy-coached kicking teams, the Redskins won the 1972 NFC championship game, 26-3, over the Dallas Cowboys.

A head coaching role was now earned by Levy in the pros. He took over the Montreal Alouettes in 1973 and reached the finals of the CFL Eastern Division and then won the Grey Cup title the following year.

HE REACHED THE Grey Cup finals again in 1975, but lost by a point, but came back to win the Grey Club once again in 1977 in his fifth and final season in the CFL. All three Grey Club final games were against the Edmonton Eskimos.

The NFL's Kansas City Chiefs tapped Levy in 1978, where he served for five seasons rebuilding the former Super Bowl Champions. He took a 2-12 team to respectability, earning plaudits as the most improved team in the NFL.

The players' strike and impatience by management forced Levy into semi-retirement in 1983 to serve as a color analyst for NBC Sports and later for ABC Radio on USFL games during the 1983 season.

But the challenge of facing a massive assignment fascinated Levy, and he accepted the Chicago Blitz job.

LEVY ASSEMBLED A coaching staff of known and respected assistants. He created a player personnel department and formed his support corps. In those 108 days prior to pre-season training he reshaped the hand dealt him on Sept. 30 to a viable professional football entry.

Entering the serious phase of training camp—full game scrimmages with other teams in training in the Valley of the Sun—Levy's 68-man roster showed 27 former Wranglers, 4 members of the original Blitz team, 14 rookies and 23 players with NFL experience.

And more was in the wings. To be competitive, Levy wanted players who had experienced professional play. . .action in the NFL. . .and sought them out.

He wants to field an exciting, unpredictable team on the field and to show Soldier Field witnesses a brand of football unlike traditional occupants.

Supporting that aim was his college sweetheart from Coe, the former Dorothy Prout. Finally moving back into his home town of Chicago presented Marv Levy with his greatest challenge of shaping a franchise practically from scratch to become competitive in football's newest and most exciting entry in the entertainment spectrum of football.

LEVY'S COACHING RECORD

1951-52—St. Louis Country Day School	13-0-1
1953-55—Coe College, assistant	
1956-57—New Mexico, assistant	
1958-59—New Mexico, head coach	14-6-0
1960-63—California, head coach	8-29-3
1964-68—William & Mary, head coach	23-25-2
1969 —Philadelphia Eagles, assistant	
1970 —Los Angeles Rams, assistant	
1971-72—Washington Redskins, assistant	
1973-77—Montreal Alouettes, head coach	50-34-4
1978-82—Kansas City Chiefs, head coach	31-42-0
1984 —Chicago Blitz, head coach	
College—11 season	45-6-5 (43.2%)
Pro—10 seasons	81-76-4 (51.6%)

COACHING STAFF

CHARLIE ARMEY—DEFENSIVE COORDINATOR

Charley Armey published a book, "Winning Football with the 4-3 Defense," in 1972. As defensive coordinator of the Chicago Blitz, Armey will be putting his theories to work in a league that has only two other teams operating primarily from the 4-3.

Armey has had extensive experience on all levels of football coaching, scouting and administration. He had served as defensive line coach with the Denver Gold of the USFL during the 1983 season and was trapped for one game as the Gold's interim head coach following the dismal of Red Miller and the hiring of Craig Morton.

Most recently, he had been working as director of player personnel with the Memphis Showboats, one of the six new USFL franchises.

A native of Cando, N.D., Armey spent four years in the U.S. Navy (1958-62) before entering college at Valley City State in North Dakota, where he played four seasons as a center and graduated in 3½ years.

He began his 19-year coaching career in Minnesota and North Dakota high schools. In 1968, Armey joined North Dakota State as linebacker coach on a team that won the Midwest NCAA Division II championship, beating Arkansas State in the Pecan Bowl. He also earned his master's degree in education while coaching.

The next four years Armey spent in Montana, the first as head coach, athletic director and physical education director at Montana Tech. He then coached both the offensive and defensive backs at the University of Montana for three seasons (1971-73) with two of the teams unbeaten.

Armey then joined the staff at Colorado State where the first five years as defensive coordinator (1972-76) and the last two as offensive coordinator (1977-79). His last two defensive teams led offensive coordinator (1977-79). His last two defensive teams led the nation in total defense with such standouts as Mike Bell and Al Baker, who are now with the Kansas City Chiefs and the St. Louis Cardinals of the NFL.

Prior to joining the Denver Gold, Armey spent four years (1979-82) as college scout for the Buffalo Bills of the NFL.

He and his wife, Audrey, have two daughters, Lisa and Kellie. They reside in Fort Collins, Colo.

Born: July 16,1939.

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TOM BECK—OFFENSIVE BACKS

Beck was one of the most successful coaches in the NCAA Division III when he took the giant leap into professional football as coach of the Blitz offensive backs.

In 13 seasons, Beck posted a record of 87-34-1 (71.7%). He spent five seasons at Illinois Benedictine College (1970-74) and never had a losing team, finishing with a 37-12-1 record (75.0%). Prior to his arrival, the Eagles had experienced 18 consecutive losing seasons.

After a season serving as offensive coordinator at Northern Illinois, Beck took over the head job at Elmhurst College. The Blue Jays had the poorest winning percentage in its previous 22 years in the College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin (CCIW) and 152-255 (37.3%) in its previous football history.

In eight seasons, Beck compiled a 50-22 (69.4%) record at Elmhurst, winning two CCIW championships and taking runner-up spot three times. The last second place finish came in his final game at Elmhurst, losing to Augustana College in the final game, a team which eventually won the 1983 NCAA Division III national title.

Beck's teams were always known for their offensive versatility. Twice at Illinois Benedictine (1972 and 1974), his teams were the national total offense leader and were nationally ranked in 1971 and 1972, earning him coach of year honors.

At Elmhurst, Beck's teams were nationally ranked in the Top 10 for five straight years, climaxed by his 1983 team which led the nation in total offense (483.3 yards per game) and scoring (38.1 points per game).

A Chicago native, Beck graduated from Lake View High School. He was co-captain and Most Valuable Player on the 1961 Northern Illinois team. He was the last 60-minute man at Northern, playing both offense and defense. Beck was named an All-American quarterback as a senior and led the team in tackles from his safety position.

Following graduation, he began his 22-year coaching career as an assistant at West Leyden High School and then came head coach at Lake Zurich High School (1965-66) and i went back to West Leyden (1967-69) before entering the collegiate ranks.

An accomplished amateur painter, Beck and his wife, Joyce, live in Elmhurst, with their two daughters, Kelly and Laura.

Born: December 21, 1940.

JOHN BUTLER—DIRECTOR OF PRO SCOUTING & OFFENSIVE LINE ASSISTANT

Butler was a member of the original Chicago Blitz player personnel department, joining the club as a scout in August 1982. Head coach Marv Levy appointed him to his present position in October 1983.

During the fall of 1983, Butler scouted the Midwest for the USFL Scouting Combine and the Chicago Blitz territorial schools — Illinois, Northern Illinois, Northwestern, Notre Dame and Western Illinois. He also did extensive scouting work in preparation for the 1984 USFL College Draft to identify key players in positions sought by the Blitz.

A native of Urbana, Ill., Butler entered the U.S. Marine Corps in 1964 and spent four years in the service, including 14 months in Vietnam as a forward observer for an artillery unit as a sergeant.

After separation, Butler attended Valley Community College in San Bernardino, Calif., where he became a Junior College All-American at defensive tackle. He transferred to the University of Illinois, but injured a knee and graduated in 1972 with a degree in recreation and parks administration.

Butler began coaching in 1972 as an assistant at Urbana High School. In 1978, he moved on to the University of Evansville as defensive line coach. For 1½ years, he served as an NFL scout prior to joining the Chicago Blitz.

He and his wife, Alice, reside in Savoy, Ill., where she is a 2nd grade teacher in Tolono, Ill.

Born: August 13, 1946

JAMES D. COLBERT—DEFENSIVE BACKS

Colbert joined his third professional football team on Dec. 1, 1983, as defensive backs coach, coming from Southern University in Baton Rouge, La., where he had served as defensive coordinator for six seasons (1978-83).

His previous pro stops as defensive backfield coach were—the Portland Storm of the World Football League (1973-74) under Dick Coury, now head coach of the New Orleans Breakers of the USFL, and the Green Bay Packers (1975) under Bart Starr.

At Southern, his teams were frequently ranked in the Top 10 total defensive NCAA Division 1-AA listings.

A native of Colorado Springs, Colbert's first coaching position was in football and baseball at Palmer High School in Colorado Springs (1964-68).

He joined Darryl Rogers in 1968 at Fresno State and followed him to San Jose State in 1973 as defensive backfield coach. He also was a physical education instructor at both schools.

Prior to joining Southern, Colbert was supervisor of student teachers and a physical education instructor at the University of Houston in 1976 and was athletic director at the Athletic Club of Houston (1977-78).

He received his bachelor's (1961), and master's (1965) in health and physical education from Adams State University in Alamosa, Colo.

The father of four children, Colbert and his wife, Rhonda, live in Arlington Heights, Ill.

Born: November 26, 1939.

WILLIAM (Whitey) DOVELL—OFFENSIVE LINE

Dovell is one of the nation's most respected offensive line coaches, having spent his entire 31-year coaching career perfecting players on the offensive line.

Prior to coming to the Blitz in November 1983, Dovell had completed his third tour of duty in Denver with a professional team during his 15 years in the pro ranks.

After 16 years as an assistant at the University of Maryland, Dovell followed Lou Saban to the Denver Broncos and stayed there five seasons (1967-71). He moved on to the Chicago Bears for three seasons (1972-74) with Abe Gibron, four seasons with the Baltimore Colts (1972-78) which produced three straight divisional titles and back to the Denver Broncos for another two seasons (1979-80) with Red Miller.

When Miller became head coach of the Denver Gold of the USFL, Dovell joined him for the 1983 season.

Following service with the U.S. Navy in the South Pacific (1944-46) Dovell attended Maryland, where he played four seasons as an offensive and defensive guard under Jim Tatum. His coaching career began at Maryland in 1953 with the Terps' National Championship team.

Dovell and his wife, Claire, live in Crested Butte, Colo., and have three daughters.

Born: February 1, 1927.

ROBERT EGLEY—STRENGTH & CONDITIONING COACH & DEFENSIVE ASSISTANT

Egley followed the bulk of the Arizona Wrangler roster to Chicago to provide invaluable evaluations on each player for the coaching staff. He had joined the Wrangler staff in January 1983 after a year on the strength training staff at Clemson University.

With the Chicago Blitz, Egley not only will direct the strength and conditioning program but will assist the defensive coaching staff, working with the linebackers.

Throughout the transition process of the franchise ownership change, Egley designed off-season conditioning programs for each rostered player to prepare him for the pre-season training camp and continued that program in training camp.

He served at Clemson under the direction of one-time Strength Coach of the Year, George Dostal. He assisted in designing specific programs for each athlete, taking into account their sport and position.

In addition to football, Egley worked in the conditioning of athletes in the 16 other varsity sports at Clemson.

A native of Clewistown, Fla., Egley had five years of coaching experience in both football and baseball on the high school level in Florida. A graduate of the University of Florida, he played football as a sophomore for the Gators.

Born: August 26, 1956.

JOHN ROLAND HUARD—SPECIAL TEAMS

The final assistant coach Marv Levy named to his staff on Jan. 1, 1984, was John Huard, a highly successful coach for the past five seasons at Acadia University in Wolfville, Nova Scotia.

A former professional player in both the NFL and CFL, Huard took over the head job at Acadia in 1979 and produced National Championship teams in 1979 and 1981 on his way to a 36-9 record. He was named Canadian International Athletic Union Coach of the Year in 1981. He also had 15 players named All-Canadian.

Huard spent time with four professional teams. The first was with the Denver Broncos as middle linebacker and defensive captain (1967-70). He was with the New Orleans Saints in 1971, the Montreal Alouettes as a player-coach (1972-73) and the Toronto Argonautes in 1975 before his injuries forced his retirement.

A native of Maine, Huard graduated from Waterville (Maine) High School, Kents Hills (Maine) Prep School and the University of Maine at Orono in 1967 with a BS degree. Co-captain in his senior year, Huard was a three-time All-Yankee Conference player, and twice named first team Little All-American.

His first coaching assignment was as offensive line coach at Maine—Orono (1974-75).

For the past two years, he was honorary chairman of the Big Brothers Program in Kentville, Nova Scotia.

He and his wife, Helen, have three children and live in Arlington Heights, Ill.

Born: March 9, 1944.

MICHAEL MURPHY—DEFENSIVE LINE

Murphy left the Canadian Football League to join the Blitz in November 1983 as defensive line coach. For the past five seasons he was defensive coordinator, working with the defensive line and linebackers, with the Saskatchewan Roughriders.

Murphy's 18-year coaching career began on the high school level with assignments in Boulder, Colo., Denver and Woonsocket, S.D., where he also taught English and physical education.

He moved into the college ranks in 1974 at Idaho State as linebacker coach and later as defensive coordinator. In 1977 he was at Western Illinois as linebacker coach.

Born in Manhattan, N.Y., Murphy graduated from Greenwich (Conn.) High School and earned a BA degree at Huron College in South Dakota in 1966. In 1971, he received a masters degree in educational administration from the University of Vermont.

He and his wife, Robin, have a son, Sam, and daughter, Sarah. They live in Arlington Heights, Ill.

Born: September 25, 1944.

RON WALLER—OFFENSIVE COORDINATOR

He was once known as "The Rat" when he was a halfback for the Los Angeles Rams, a second round draft pick in 1955, who made the Pro Bowl as a rookie.

Today, Ron Waller plies his more than 30 years of football knowledge as offensive coordinator of the Chicago Blitz. . .the 10th professional team he has served as a head coach, an assistant or personnel expert.

Waller joined the Blitz and its new ownership on Sept. 30, 1983, as interim director of player personnel, using his vast knowledge of talent throughout the country in and out of the NFL and those available to the USFL.

Since 1966, Waller has worked for 10 teams in four leagues, serving as head coach for six of them.

During the late 1960s and early 1970s, the NFL had its own "farm" with minor league teams in the East and Waller coached four of them in the Atlantic Coast Football League — Wilmington Clippers (1966-67), Harrisburg Capitals (1968), Pottstown Firebirds (1969-70) and Norfolk Neptunes (1971). Three of his teams won championships.

In 1972 he joined the San Diego Chargers of the NFL as an assistant and the following year became interim head coach, replacing Harland Svare for the last half of the season and struggled to a 1-5 record.

Waller jumped to the Philadelphia Bell of the World Football League the next two seasons. After the collapse of the league, Waller scouted for his former Rams in 1976-77 and then joined Marv Levy in 1978 for his five-year stint with the Kansas City Chiefs as director of research and development.

During the 1983 USFL inaugural season, Waller served as a personnel consultant with the Denver Gold.

Waller is a Maryland graduate, where he played on the 1953 National Championship team under Jim Tatum. As a senior in 1954, he was named All-American and a first team All-Atlantic Coast Conference running back, team's most valuable player and the first to win an award for excellence in scholarship, athletics and leadership. He led the team in rushing his senior year and played in the College All-Star game, a victory over the Cleveland Browns.

Waller's professional career was cut short after four seasons with torn knee ligaments and a stop with the Chargers.

He was also an assistant coach in the 1975 College All-Star game in Chicago with Ara Parseghian in the final game played of that historic series.

Born: February 14, 1933.

FRONT OFFICE STAFF

GARY CARROLL—DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT

Carroll became one of the first appointments in the creation of the Chicago Blitz Second Edition. In addition to his assignment as director of the development in the office of the general manager, Carroll served as pre-season training camp administrator in Scottsdale, Ariz.

He came to the Blitz from the International Football League, where he was general manager of the Hawaiian franchise. Prior to that, he had been a scout in the player personnel department of the Michigan Panthers during 1983 when that team won the inaugural USFL championship.

Carroll is a veteran of professional sports managment with previous assignments in the North American Soccer League (Dallas Tornado), the National Hockey League (Vancouver Canucks), World Team Tennis and the World Football League.

A former collegiate basketball standout at Los Angeles City College, Carroll has been a former business associate of Lamar Hunt and his myriad sports interests.
business associate of Lamar Hunt and his myriad sports interests.

He and his wife, Dorothy, reside in the Dallas, Texas, area, with their two sons.

Born: August 30, 1939.

BOB COLONNA—EQUIPMENT MANAGER

The real veteran of the Chicago Blitz football team is its equipment manager, Bob Colonna, who enters service in his third professional football league.

Colonna, a man who bestows nicknames on everyone in the organizations has been in the business for nearly four decades. A native of Camden, N.J., he "broke" into pro football in 1948 with the Philadelphia Eagles where he spent the next 24 seasons dressing some of the greatest names in pro football.

For two seasons (1974-75), he worked with Blitz offensive coordinator Ron Waller, then head coach of the Philadelphia Bell of the World Football League.

For several years, he followed Waller around the country to conduct free agent tryout camps, shepherding a crew of experts that included Jack Faulkner, Ben Agajanian, Ray Malavasi and Sid Gillman.

Later, Colonna got into the construction business and was in charge of building Muhamad Ali's $1.3 million home in Philadelphia. He also assisted Waller in tryout camps for the Kansas City Chiefs.

Players and coaches who have been under the command of Colonna read like the Who's Who of Professional Football.

He and his wife, Alma, have a son and a daughter and two grandchildren.

Born: December 6, 1922

JERRY FORAN—DIRECTOR OF BUSINESS AND TICKETING

Foran is entering his 13th-year in Chicago Sports circles managing ticket departments. He was with the Blitz organization last season after a 12-year stint with the Chicago Cubs. The Rockaway, N.Y. native also has assumed additional responsibilities this year supervising the business side of the Blitz.

He began his sports career in 1972 when he joined the Cubs organization as the controller. After 3 years, Foran was promoted to director of ticket services where he stayed until joining the Blitz in October 1982.

After graduating from St. Bonaventure University in 1967 with a Bachelor of Administration degree in accounting, Foran spent two years in the Army as a 1st Lt. He was an operations officer for the Alaskan Command's training center at Ft. Greely, Alaska.

He and his wife, June, live in Rolling Meadows, Ill. with their son.

Born: November 16, 1945

GEORGE KOCH—MARKETING AND SALES DIRECTOR

Koch, an award-winning Major League Baseball promotions and sales executive, is director of marketing and sales for the Chicago Blitz.

Koch, 43, was director of promotions and sales for the Chicago White Sox prior to coming to the Blitz. During the 1983 season, the White Sox produced a record attendance of 2,132,182 while winning the American League West title and hosting the 50th Anniversary All-Star Game.

Koch shared the 1983 Marketing Executive Award, presented by the Major League Baseball Promotion Corp.

Born in Chicago, Koch grew up in Hinsdale. After three years in the U.S. Army, serving as a missle launcher sergeant in Korea, he received a BA in education from Southern Illinois University in 1971.

After working in Florida, Koch joined the White Sox in 1976 in group sales when Bill Veeck bought the club.

Born: July 26, 1940

CARL MARASCO—ACTING GENERAL MANAGER

Carl Marasco, an experienced professional football player personnel executive and Director of Player Personnel for the United States Football League, is the Acting General Manager for the Chicago Blitz.

As director of Player Personnel, Marasco is responsible for all player transactions within the league and for determining player eligibility.

Marasco had served as Director of Player Personnel for the Chicago Bears of the National Football League from 1975-78. Prior to that, he had worked as Director of Player Personnel for the N.F.L. (1973-75).

Marasco received his B.S. degree in business from Florida Southern College (Lakeland) in 1960. He was captain of his college tennis team.

A resident of Palatine, IL and Tarrytown, NY, Marasco is married and has five children.

NANCY MITCHELL—PROMOTIONS DIRECTOR

Mitchell is no stranger to sports arenas around the country. The Rocky River, Ohio native worked for 10 years for the S-K Tool Company covering the NASCAR racing circuit. Some of her responsibilities included interviewing race car drivers and owners for radio and television. She also authored a monthly column in *Auto Racing News* called "Behind the Wall" about the woman's point of view in racing. Mitchell was also the public relations director for 1980 Olympic figure skater David Santee.

Immediately prior to joining the Blitz organization in December 1983, Mitchell was the public relations director for the highly-regarded Hamilton Hotel in Itasca, Ill. Her accomplishments at the Hamilton Hotel included staging an innovative indoor fireworks display.

The versatile Mitchell appeared in Broadway productions of "Bye, Bye Birdie", "Gypsy" and "Take Her She's Mine" along with performing in a national touring night club act. She and her husband, Don Garrity, have two chidren.

Born: April 17, 1944

BILL POLIAN—DIRECTOR OF PLAYER PERSONNEL

Polian and Blitz head coach Marv Levy became united on December 1, 1983, for the third time in professional football.

Polian first joined Levy when he was head coach of the Montreal Alouettes as U.S. scout for two seasons (1976-77) with the Alouettes winning the Canadian Football League's Grey Cup in 1977. He followed Levy to the Kansas City Chiefs and between 1978-82, Polian scouted up-coming NFL opponents and assisted in running free agent camps throughout the country.

For the past year, Polian has been director of player personnel for the Winnipeg Blue Bombers of the CFL, coordinating scouting and player development throughout Canada and the United States.

Prior to his professional assignments, Polian spent 10 years in college coaching. He was defensive coordinator at Manhattan College in Riverdale, N.Y., for two years (1966-67) before moving into the same position at the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy.

For one year during his Academy service (1968-75), he served as receivers coach at Columbia University. Polian was also the head baseball coach at the Academy.

Polian was a quarterback and safety at New York University, where he captained the team. He received his bachelor's degree in physical education in 1966.

Polian and his wife, Eileen, have four children.

Born: December 8, 1942.

RON RUSS—HEAD TRAINER

Russ was named head trainer for the Blitz in October 1983 after serving as assistant trainer for the original Blitz during the USFL season. He had served in the same capacity with the Chicago Bears during the 1981 NFL season.

Between the Bears and the Blitz, Russ was a certified athletic trainer for the Physical Therapy Services, Ltd., in Highland Park, Ill.

A native of LaPorte, Ind., Russ first attended Brainerd Community College in Minnesota, before transferring to Ball State University and earning a BS degree in physical education in 1980.

While earning his master's degree in athletic training at the University of Arizona in 1981, he served as a graduate assistant athletic trainer. During the Detroit Lions' summer camps in 1979-80, Russ was an assistant athletic trainer.

Russ is a certified member of the National Athletic Trainers Assn.

He and his wife, Linda, reside in Lake Zurich, Ill., with their infant son, Ryan.

Born: March 1, 1956.

CARMINE ACCORDINO
Head Film Coordinator

STEPHEN ACCORDINO
Film Coordinator

ROBIN BALDWIN
Cheerleading Coordinator

JEFF CIEPLY
Media Relations Intern

JUNE FORAN
Controller

ROB GLAS
Purchasing/Business Coordinator

KATHY HENNEGHAN
Administrative Asst. to Head Coach

SUE KING
Marketing Asst.

STU McCLEAN
Team Scout

STEPHANIE METTE
Receptionist

JIM MORGAN
Assistant Director of Development

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Administrative Asst.

PATTI PHILLIPPSEN
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Administrative Asst. Ticketing

BOB WINDISH
Area Scout

CHICAGO BLITZ 1984 TRAVEL PUBLICIST'S ITINERARY

(Subject to changes as season progresses)

MICHIGAN—Arrival via United Charter on February 26 in late afternoon after breaking training camp in Scottsdale, Ariz. Headquarters at the Troy Hilton (313/583-9000). Return to Chicago following game. Schultz to arrive Thursday evening.

MEMPHIS—Arrival via United Charter on March 3 in afternoon. Headquarters at Holiday Inn Overton Square (901/278-4100). Return to Chicago following game. Schultz to arrive Wednesday evening.

NEW ORLEANS—Arrival via United Charter on March 24 in afternoon. Headquarters at Hyatt New Orleans at the Super Dome (504/561-1234). Return to Chicago following game. Schultz to arrive Wednesday evening.

WASHINGTON—Arrival via United Charter on March 30 in afternoon. Headquarters at Washington Marriott (202/872-1500). Return to Chicago following game. Schultz to arrive Wednesday afternoon.

PHILADELPHIA—Arrival via United Charter on April 14 in afternoon. Headquarters at Marriott Airport (215/365-4150). Return to Chicago following game. Schultz to arrive Wednesday evening.

SAN ANTONIO—Arrival via United Charter on May 5 in afternoon. Headquarters at Gunter Hotel (512/227-3241). Return to Chicago following game. Schultz to arrive Wednesday evening.

DENVER—Arrival via United Charter on May 10 in afternoon. Headquarters at the Inn at the Mart (800/525-6650). Return to Chicago following game. Schultz to arrive Tuesday evening.

TULSA—Arrival via United Charter in afternoon. Headquarters at Sheraton Skyline (918/627-1000). Return to Chicago following game. Schultz to arrive Wednesday afternoon.

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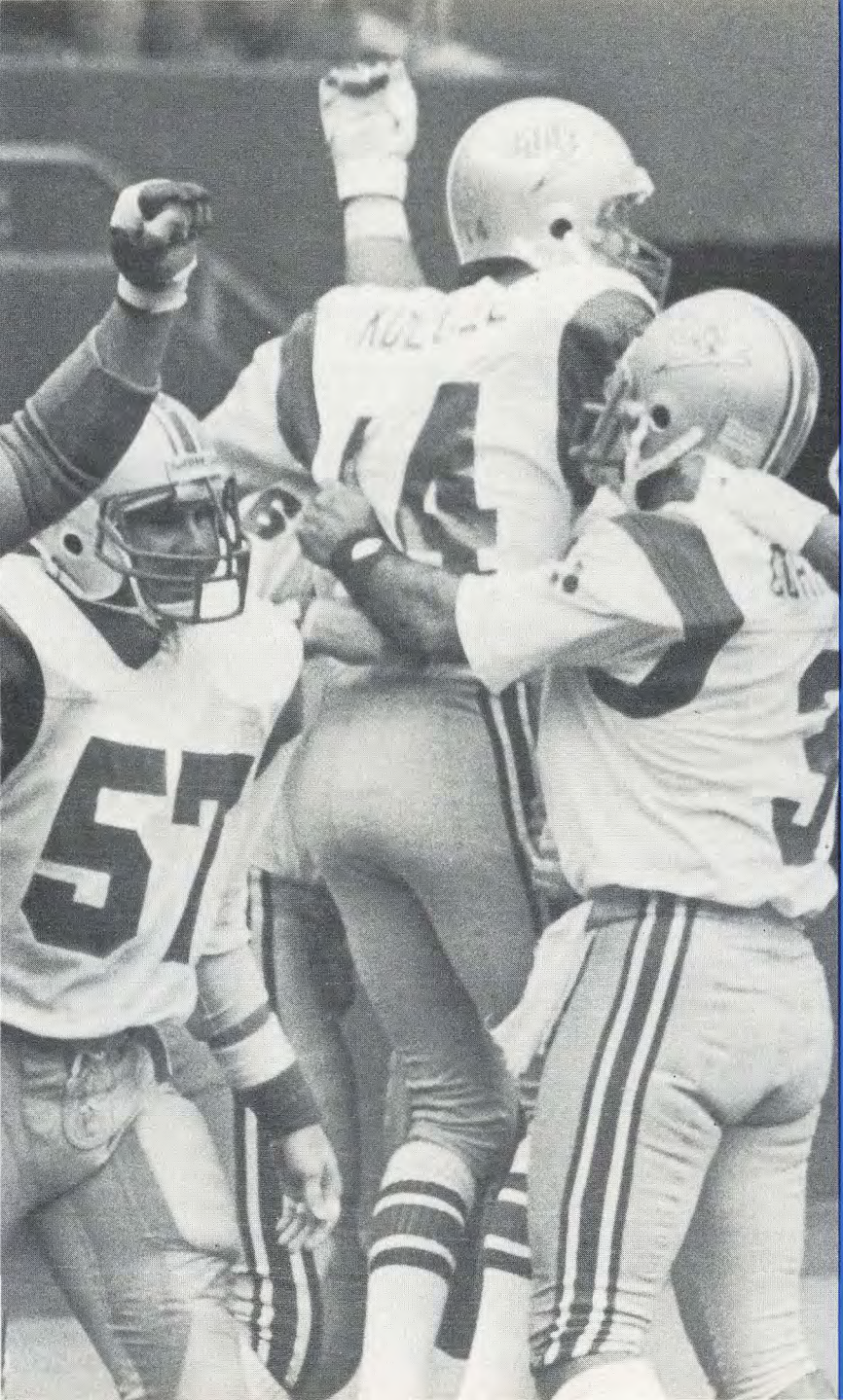

PLAYERS

1984 PLAYER BIOGRAPHIES

MARCUS ANDERSON | **WIDE RECEIVER** | **TULANE**
HT: 5-11 | **WT: 172** | **BORN: 6/12/59**

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed as a free agent after being cut by the Chicago Bears of the NFL in the 1982 pre-season.
PROFESSIONAL: One of four "original" members of the Chicago Blitz organization left in the Windy City. . .steady special teams player. . .blocked a punt in the Blitz' 38-17 win at Los Angeles. . .caught four passes for 42 yards in 83. . .registered 10 total tackles on punt and kickoff coverage. . .signed as a free agent in 1981 by the Chicago Bears. . .in his only start (vs. Detroit, 10/19/81) caught six passes for 176 yards. . .suffered bruised ribs in 3rd quarter of that game. . .had been with Los Angeles Rams final cut in 1981.
COLLEGIATE: Four-year letterman at Tulane (1977-80) with 56 receptions for 872 yards and 10 TDs. . .set Tulane standard for longest reception (84 yards). . .participated in Liberty and Hall of Fame Bowls. . .sprinter on Green Wave track team.
PERSONAL: Lives in Lake Charles, La. . .married on July 23, 1983, to Keila. . .worked at a men's clothing store and at a Little Theatre in New Orleans, working on lighting and props during off-season. . .earned degree in 1983 from Tulane in physical education, with a minor in communications. . .born in Port Arthur, Texas.

CHARLES ARMSTEAD | **CORNERBACK** | **ILLINOIS**
HT: 5-10 | **WT: 168** | **BORN: 6/21/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1983 Territorial Selection.
COLLEGIATE: Second-team All-Big Ten pick as a senior for the Illini. . .picked-off an errant pass and returned it for a TD in a wild 38-34 1982 Illinois home win against Purdue. . .aggressive defender. . .intercepted three passes in 1982. . .had 94 total tackles as a two-year starter for Illinois. . .transferred from Los Angeles Pierce J.C. in 1981. . .runs a 4.5 40-yard dash. . .played in the 1982 Liberty Bowl.
PERSONAL: Majored in education. . .attended Sylmar (Calif.) HS. . .born in San Fernando, Calif.

HAROLD LEWIS BLUE | **RUNNING BACK** | **EAST CAROLINA**
HT: 6-0 | **WT: 191** | **BORN: 8/25/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Signed by Wranglers as a free agent.
PROFESSIONAL: Played in 17 games, starting 3, with the Wranglers in 1983. . .rushed 34 times for 123 yards (3.6 ave.) and scored 1 TD (25 yards). . .caught 13 passes for 84 yards. . .returned 15 kickoffs for 282 yards (18.8 ave.), long was 30 yards.
COLLEGIATE: A four-year letterman (1978-81) at East Carolina, where he was the 2nd leading rusher in 1981 with 93 carries for 465 yards (5.0 ave.) and 8 TDs. . .also caught 6 passes for 73 yards. . .named "Best Blocking Back" as a senior. . .received the R.W. Moore "King of the Gridiron" Scholarship in 1981. . .played in 1978 Independence Bowl, a 35-13 victory over Louisiana Tech.
PERSONAL: Earned degree from East Carolina in December 1983. . .graduated from Southwest High School in Lawrenceburg, N.C.

TRENT BRYANT | **CORNERBACK** | **ARKANSAS**
HT: 5-10 | **WT: 194** | **BORN: 8/14/59**

HOW ACQUIRED: USFL rights assigned to Chicago Blitz.
PROFESSIONAL: Three-year NFL veteran will compete for starting cornerback position. . .selected in the 10th round of the (259th player selected) 1981 NFL draft by the Baltimore Colts. . .after being waived by the Colts, signed by the Washington Redskins and saw action in four games in 1981. . .waived early in1981 season and signed by Kansas City Chiefs on April 13, 1982. . .nickel-back in Chiefs secondary in '82 and '83. . .played in nine games in 1982 and 12 games in 1983.
COLLEGIATE: Three-year starter at Arkansas and registered 75 career tackles. . .started at free safety most of his sophomore season, then moved to cornerback where he started his final two years. . .began collegiate career as a running back and gained 165 yards on 40 carries as a freshman.
PERSONAL: A graduate of Arkadelphia (Ark.) HS where he played football, basketball and track. . .business education major at Arkansas. . .interests include tennis and racquetball.

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LAWRENCE L. (Larry) CANADA — **FULLBACK** — **WISCONSIN**
HT: 6-1 — **WT: 240** — **BORN: 12/16/54**

HOW ACQUIRED: Obtained in a trade with the Denver Gold along with offensive tackle Doug Hoppock and the rights to placekicker Fred Steinfort for running back Calvin Murray and linebacker Glenn Perkins on Feb. 7, 1984. Signed by the Gold as a free agent on Dec. 3, 1982.
PROFESSIONAL: Played in 18 games for the Gold in 1983, rushing for 631 yards on 142 carries (4.4 ave.). . .led team in receptions with 42 for 242 yards. . .had his best day as a pro against the Washington Federals in Week 14 when he gained 115 yards on 16 carries and scored 2 TDs. Signed as a free agent by the Denver Broncos in May 1977. . .played 1978, 1979 and 1981 season with the Broncos, on injured reserve with knee injury for entire 1980 season. . .had left the Broncos' camp voluntarily in 1977 and missed Denver's Super Bowl appearance following that season. . .in his three seasons, he carried 148 times for 621 yards (4.2 ave.) and scored 6 TDs. . .in 1979 was named by his teammates as special teams' Most Valuable Player. . .in his final season with the Broncos he accomplished the unusual scoring feat of scoring four consecutive times he handled the ball over a four-week span.
COLLEGIATE: Four-year letterman at Wisconsin where he became the sixth all-time leading rusher. . .led Badgers in rushing in 1976 with 993 yards on 221 carries (4.5 ave.). . .played in East-West Shrine Game and the Japan Bowl.
PERSONAL: A graduate of Austin High School in Chicago. . .majored in Commercial Arts and Afro/American Studies at Wisconsin. . .nicknamed "The Mailman" while with the Broncos after carrying 19 times for 94 yards in an overtime victory.

CANADA'S PRO STATS

		RUSHING				RECEIVING			
Year	Club	G	Att.	Yards	Ave.	TD	No.	Yards	Ave.	TD
1978	Denver Broncos	16	79	365	4.6	3	6	37	6.2	—
1979	Denver Broncos	16	36	143	4.0	—	3	36	12.0	—
1981	Denver Broncos	16	33	113	3.4	3	3	37	12.3	1
1983	Denver Gold	18	142	631	4.4	3	42	242	5.8	—
TOTALS—4 YEARS		66	290	1,252	4.3	9	54	352	6.5	1

Additional pro statistics: Recovered 1 fumble, 1978 and 1981; recovered 2 fumbles for minus five yards and returned 3 kickoffs for 31 yards, 1979; returned 2 kickoffs for 19 yards, 1981.

DONALD RAY CATTAGE — **DEFENSIVE END** — **WASHINGTON**
HT: 6-3 — **WT: 261** — **BORN: 9/22/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to the Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983 sales transaction. Selected in the 17th round (194th player selected) by the Arizona Wranglers in the 1978 USFL draft.
PROFESSIONAL: Played and started in 13 games for the Wranglers as a rookie. . .had outstanding games against Washington Federals (4-11-83) and Boston Breakers (4-17-83).
COLLEGIATE: Three-year letterman at Washington, playing in the Rose Bowl twice (1981 and 1982) and the Aloha Bowl (1982). . .2nd team All-PAC 10 and Huskies' MVP as a senior. . .had 217 total tackles.
PERSONAL: Graduated from Lewis & Clark High School in Spokane, Wash., in 1979, where

he played tight end and defensive end. . .All-State as a defensive end in senior year; All-Spokane offensively and defensively in both junior and senior years. . .also All-Spokane in basketball and MVP. . .set state cage record for 13 of 13 field goals in one game. . .also earned track letter; has a 200-foot javelin throw. . .older brother, Bobby, played for the Utah Jazz of the NBA.

CATTAGE'S PRO STATS

Year	Games	Starts	Plays	Tkls.	Ast.	T	Sacks/Yds.	Int.	Tkls./Yds.
1983	13	13	682	47	32	79	3½-26	0	3/-17

TERRY WAYNE CROUCH — **OFFENSIVE GUARD** — **OKLAHOMA**
HT: 6-2 — **WT: 282** — **BORN: 7/6/59**

HOW ACQUIRED: USFL rights were obtained in a trade with the Oklahoma Outlaws for defensive tackle Bob Nelson on Jan. 19, 1984. Signed on January 19, 1984.
PROFESSIONAL: Selected by the Baltimore Colts in the 5th round (113th player selected) of the 1982 NFL draft. . .played in 9 games for the Colts in 1982, starting the first two before the players' strike. Released in the 1983 pre-season.
COLLEGIATE: Played at Oklahoma where he was an All-American offensive guard in 1980—81, a consensus choice in 1981. . .co-captain in 1981.
PERSONAL: Graduated from Dallas Skyline High School.

PHILIP ALAN DENFELD — **TIGHT END** — **WAKE FOREST**
HT: 6-5 — **WT: 232** — **BORN: 7/31/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Signed by the Wranglers as a free agent in 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Played in 18 games, starting 1 for the Wranglers in 1983. . .caught 4 passes for 24 yards. . .was kicker in final 8 games of season, hitting on 7 of 7 extra point attempts and 4 of 7 field goals (longest was 39 yards on first attempt as a pro).
COLLEGIATE: Four-year letterman at Wake Forest, catching more passes than any tight end in Deacon history with 100 career receptions for 963 yards (5th on all-time list for all receivers). . .twice in 1981 (vs. Maryland and Clemson) caught 12 passes in a game. . .he also set Wake Forest records for career field goals (23) and extra points (61). . .all his receptions came in his junior and senior seasons, leading the Atlantic Coast Conference in receptions with 51 and 49, respectively. . .named All-ACC tight end and honorable-mention All-American in 1981-82; Academic All-ACC in 1980-81-82; and Academic All-American in 1982. . .played in the 1979 Tangerine Bowl and 1982 Blue-Gray All-Star Game.
PERSONAL: Graduated from Annandale (Va.) High School, where he became a three-sport star (football, basketball and soccer). . .was acclaimed the No. 1 player in Virginia as a senior and earned the "Timmy Award" from the Washington Touchdown Club. . .earned a degree in mathematics and business from Wake Forest in fall of 1983 and posted the highest grade point average among all senior football players as a senior. . .born at the U.S. Air Force Academy in Colorado. . .married on Aug. 12, 1983, to Lundi.

JEROME WILLIAM (Jerry) DOERGER — **OFFENSIVE TACKLE** — **WISCONSIN**
HT: 6-5 — **WT: 267** — **BORN: 8/18/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed in January 1984 after USFL rights were acquired in a trade with the Washington Federals for two 1984 draft choices (both 6th round selections).
PROFESSIONAL: Selected by the Chicago Bears in the 8th round (200th player selected) of the 1982 NFL draft. Played in 2 games during the 1982 season (Detroit on Sept. 12 and New England on Dec. 5). Released in 1983 pre-season.
COLLEGIATE: Four-year letterman at Wisconsin, where he had 28 career starts. . .played behind Ray Snell (Tampa Bay Buccaneers) as a freshman. . .voted Most Improved Offensive Player as a junior. . .honorable member All-Big Ten as a senior. . .played in 1981 Garden State Bowl.
PERSONAL: All-American prep at Cincinnati LaSalle High School. . .all-state in both football and basketball. . .majored in mechanical engineering at Wisconsin. . .married (Rita).

RAY COLIE EPPES — **FREE SAFETY** — **CLEMSON**
HT: 6-0 — **WT: 191** — **BORN: 7/22/54**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Signed as a free agent by the Wranglers in mid-season in 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Appeared in 8 games, starting 2 for the Wranglers in 1983. . .had 14 tackles, 2 pass deflections and 1 tackle for 6 yards in losses. . .previously had free agent tryouts with the New York Jets and the New England Patriots of the NFL and the Ottawa Rough Riders of the CFL.
COLLEGIATE: Lettered at Clemson two years (1976-77). . .played in 1977 Gator Bowl.
PERSONAL: Graduated from Westside High School in Anderson, S.C.. . .born in Mt. Holly, N.C.. . .lives in Largo, Fla.

VINCENT TOBIAS (Vince) EVANS — **QUARTERBACK** — **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**
HT: 6-2 — **WT: 211** — **BORN: 6/14/55**

HOW ACQUIRED: USFL rights were obtained in a trade with the Washington Federals for linebacker Ben Apuna and rights to Waddell Smith, WR, Kansas. Signed on Nov. 15, 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Selected by the Chicago Bears in 6th round (140th player selected) of 1977 NFL Draft. . .*(Bears' 4th pick in draft as 1st player taken on 2nd draft day in 6th round).* . .Played in 62 NFL games. . .started 32. . .his first starts came in 1979 when he had 3 before a staph infection nearly took his life. . .and he started the last 10 games in 1980; all 16 games in 1981; and 3 games in 1983 (in weeks 7, 8 & 9 vs. Lions, Eagles & Lions). . .in 1977, returned 13 kickoffs for 253 yards (19.5 ave.). . .first two times he touched ball as a pro in pre-season game vs. Cincinnati he had kickoff returns of 33 & 51 yards. . .had a right shoulder bruise/sprain vs. Rams (9-28-81) in 1st quarter. . .after not

practicing the next week he was 26 of 43 for 307 yards and 2 TDs, completing 28 of 45 (62.2%). . .of his 5 TD passes in 1983, two were for 57 and 72 yards. . .during first 5 games of 1983, Evans was on the field for 6 of the Bears' 12 offensive TDs. . .on Sunday (Nov. 13), the Bears changed quarterbacks for the 6th time in 11 games.

COLLEGIATE: Transferred to Southern California from Los Angeles City College after freshman season. . .was back-up to Pat Haden as a sophomore. . .was MVP at LACC as a freshman with 1,628 yards in total offense. . .was MVP in 1977 Rose Bowl, a 14-6 victory over Michigan. . .accounted for 26 TDs in three years. . .won USC's Teschke Award in 1976 as the team's most inspirational player. . .co-captain in 1976. . .led West Team to victory in Hula Bowl. . .started 17 of last 20 games at USC. . .directed Trojans to a 20-0 upset victory over Texas A&M in 1975 Liberty Bowl, rushing 10 times for 41 yards and completing 6 of 13 passes for 174 yards and 1 TD. . .senior year was 95 of 177 for 1,440 yards and 10 TDs. . .career USC passing 136 of 305 for 2,248 yards, 14 TDs, 16 interceptions. . .lettered three years.

PERSONAL: Was football and basketball star at Greensboro (N.C.) Benjamin L. Smith High School. . .nearly enrolled at North Carolina Central College. . .majored in speech communications at USC. . .married (Chyla).

EVANS' PROFESSIONAL STATS

			PASSING						RUSHING		
Years	Gms./Sts.		Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yards	Int.	TDs	Att.	Yds.	TD
1977	13	—			NONE				1	0	—
1978	3	—	3	1	33.3	1	—	6	23	—	
1979	4	3	63	32	50.8	508	5	4	12	72	1
1980	13	10	278	148	53.2	2,039	16	11	60	306	8
1981	16	16	436	195	44.7	2,354	20	11	43	218	3
1982	4	—	28	12	42.9	125	4	—	2	0	—
1983	9	3	144	76	52.8	1,108	7	5	23	133	1
TOTALS	62	32	952	464	48.7	6,172	53	31	147	752	13

6.48 ave./att.

TERRY LEE FALCON — **OFFENSIVE TACKLE** — **MONTANA**
HT: 6-3 — **WT: 264** — **BORN: 8/30/55**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Signed by the Wranglers as a free agent in December 1982.

PROFESSIONAL: one of three Wranglers to start in all 18 games during 1983 season. . .selected by the New England Patriots in the 8th round (198th player selected) of the 1978 NFL draft. . .spent the 1978 and 1979 seasons with Patriots under offensive line coach Jim Ringo. . .joined New York Giants in 1980 as a free agent and played in 13 games.

COLLEGIATE: Played two seasons (1973-74) at Minot State College in North Dakota. . .transferred to the University of Montana, where he played two seasons (1976-77) under Coach Gene Carlson. . .won All-Big Sky 1st team honors both seasons. . .also participated in track and field.

PERSONAL: A graduate of Culbertson (Mont.) High School in 1973. . .two years all-conference in football, three years all-conference in basketball and State Class C shot put champion as a junior and senior. . .two-way performer in football—fullback and tight end on Offense and as a defensive end. . .earned a degree in business management while out of football in 1981. . .married (Becky) with a daughter (Nicole, 2).

VASQUERO DIAZ (Vagas) FERGUSON **TAILBACK** **NOTRE DAME**
HT: 6-0 **WT: 204** **BORN: 3/6/57**

PROFESSIONAL: Selected by New England Patriots in 1st round (25th player) selected in 1980 NFL draft. . .waived by Patriots in September 1983, claimed by Houston Oilers; waived and claimed by Cleveland Browns. . .started all 16 games as a rookie in 1980, setting a club record with 818 rushing yards *(broken in 1981)* for a rookie. . .finished 6th among AFC rushers that season. . .injury slowed him down in 1981 (ankle) and 1982 (hamstring).
COLLEGIATE: A four-year (1976-79) Notre Dame letterman. . .consensus All-American in 1979. . .holder of 10 Irish rushing records. . .Notre Dame's career rushing leader with 3,472 yards on 673 attempts (5.2 ave.), scoring 32 rushing TDs. . .best game came in 1978 vs. Georgia Tech when he gained 255 yards on 30 attempts. . .had 13 games of 100 yards or more. . .played in three bowl games—Gator (1976) and Cotton (1977 & 1978). . .1977 Notre Dame team was National Champions. . .placed 5th in 1979 Heisman Trophy balloting.
PERSONAL: Received a BA in economics in spring of 1980. . .has spent off-seasons training as a systems analyst at IBM. . .through conditioning program gained 18 pounds since his rookie season and improved his 40 yard dash time. . .nicknamed Vagas by his grandmother. . .married (Berline).

FERGUSON'S PRO STATS

		RECEIVING				RUSHING			
Year	G	Att.	Yards	Ave.	TD	No.	Yards	Ave.	TD
1980	16	211	818	3.9	2	22	173	7.9	—
1981	13	78	340	4.4	3	4	39	9.8	—
1982	2	1	5	5.0	—	—	—	—	—
1983	3*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTALS	34	290	1,163	4.0	5	26	212	8.2	—

*-Played special teams with Oilers.

MARK FRANCIS FISHER **CENTER** **NOTRE DAME**
HT: 6-4 **WT: 247** **BORN: 9/28/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: A 1983 territorial draft selection by the Blitz. Signed during fall of 1983.
COLLEGIATE: Two-year starter at center after being converted from tight end following his sophomore season, where he played in 8 games as a backup and 1 game as a starter. . .played JV ball as a freshman.
PERSONAL: Standout tight end and linebacker at Central Catholic High School in Canton, Ohio. . .captained team as a senior. . .helped team win 1977 Class AA regional title. . .all-county, all-district and 2nd team all-state in 1978. . .had 140 total tackles in 1978. . .from same high school as former Irish lineman Alan Page and from same hometown (Massillon) as former Irish quarterback and Hall of Famer Harry Stuhldreher. . .earned BBA in accounting at Notre Dame in May 1983. . .attended Ohio State University College of Law during 1983 fall quarter.

ROBIN LYNN FISHER | **MIDDLE LINEBACKER** | **FLORIDA**
HT: 6-1 | **WT: 234** | **BORN: 12/13/59**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Claimed on waivers from the Tampa Bay Bandits by the Wranglers in February 1983 and signed in March 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Selected by the Miami Dolphins in the 10th round (271st player selected) of the 1982 NFL draft. . .played in 14 games for the Wranglers in 1983, starting 1. . .had 54 tackles, 5 sacks for 29 yards in losses, 2 pass deflections and 1 tackle for a 3 yard loss.
COLLEGIATE: A two-year letterman at Florida as a nose guard. . .was Academic All-Southeastern Conference in journalism.
PERSONAL: A graduate of Satellite High School in Satellite Beach, Fla. . .born in Norfolk, Va. . .now lives in Indiana Harbor Beach, Fla.
NOTE: Suffered right knee strain in first pre-season practice game on Feb. 4 and will be out of action during the opening weeks of the 1984 season.

JACKIE C. FLOWERS | **WIDE RECEIVER** | **FLORIDA STATE**
HT: 6-1 | **WT: 192** | **BORN: 3/4/58**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Signed as a free agent by the Tampa Bay Bandits of the USFL, but released. Signed by the Wranglers two days prior to the opening of the 1983 season.
PROFESSIONAL: Selected by the Dallas Cowboys in the 9th round of the 1980 NFL draft, released late in preseason. Signed as a free agent by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in 1981, but spent the season on injured reserve after dislocating his right knee on the first day of practice. Sat out 1982 season. Played in 18 games for the Wranglers in 1983, starting 15. . .had a brilliant start with a string of seven straight games in which he caught a TD pass. . .had 10 TD catches in one span, including a two-game, 5 TD splurge vs. New Jersey (4-3-83) and at Washington (4-11-83). . .best performance was an 8-catch, 179-yard, 2 TD performance at RFK Stadium on 4-11-83, that included a USFL record 98-yard TD pass. . .finished the season with 63 receptions for 869 yards and a club-high 11 TDs (a 13.8 yard ave.). . .led team in reception yardage and tied for 2nd in receptions. Also returned 2 kickoffs for 44 yards in the season's opener vs. Oakland Invaders (3-6-83). . .led all Wrangler scorers with 66 points on his 11 TD receptions.
COLLEGIATE: Had an outstanding four-year career at Florida State, where his career pass catching statistics (102 receptions for 1,730 yards and 15 TDs) rank 5th on the all-time list and ahead of fabled Fred Biletnikoff. . .led the Seminoles as a junior (43 for 757 yards and 7 TDs) and as a senior (37 for 622 yards and 7 TDs) in an 11-1 season and 6th place in the national ranking, spoiled only by a loss to Oklahoma in the 1980 Orange Bowl. He was named an honorable mention All-American in 1978 and 2nd team All-American in 1979 plus two All-South Independent team first team selections.
PERSONAL: Graduated from William Raines High School in Jacksonville, Fla., in 1976 where he was named All-American in football and track as a senior. . .anchored state championship track team in 880-yard and sprint medley teams. . .following his outstanding performance against the Washington Federals in 1983, he donated $1,000 to the Raines High Athletic Dept. . .nicknamed "Sweet Hands" for his performances in the Valley of the Sun during 1983. . .drives an 18-wheel truck throughout the South during the off-season. . .married (Phyllis).

GLENN MAURICE FORD | **RUNNING BACK** | **LENOIR-RHYNE COLLEGE**
HT: 6-1 | **WT: 200** | **BORN: 6/30/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: Obtained in a trade with the Denver Gold for past considerations on Feb. 13, 1984. Selected by Denver Gold in 9th round (105th player selected) in 1983 USFL draft. . .first and highest Gold draft choice to sign, on January 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Backup running back, playing in 15 games for the Gold in 1983. . . was the USFL's 3rd leading kickoff returner in 1983 with an average of 23.7 yards on 22 returns (521 yards). . .his longest was 59 yards vs. Arizona. . .rushed 10 times for 42 yards. . .caught 6 passes for 124 yards (20.7 ave), including a 75-yard TD reception, against New Jersey out of a punt formation thrown by punter Steve Gortz. . .the same fake punt worked for 25 yards to Ford in the season's finale at Los Angeles.
COLLEGIATE: Played one season at Lenior-Rhyne (1982), gaining 1,093 yards, the 8th best single season total in the school's history. . .was leading rusher in the South Atlantic Conference (SAC-8), setting a school record with an average of 121.4 yards per game. . .finished 4th among NAIA Division I rushers nationally and 9th in the NAIA overall. . .named 1982 MVP by his teammates and second 2nd team NAIA All-American. . .transferred from Tennessee after two years, where he gained 321 yards.
PERSONAL: Lives in Greensboro, N.C.

JOHN F. GILLEN | **MIDDLE LINEBACKER** | **ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-3 | **WT: 227** | **BORN: 11/5/58**

HOW ACQUIRED: Territorial rights held by the Blitz. . .signed on Jan. 4, 1984.
PROFESSIONAL: Selected by St. Louis Cardinals in the 5th round (116th player selected) of the 1981 NFL draft. . .played in 16 games in 1981 and 4 in 1982, but was placed on injured reserve with a broken cheekbone and an ankle injury between Sept. 8 and Dec. 8, 1982, before finishing the season. . .released by the Cardinals in the 1983 pre-season and signed by the New England Patriots on Sept. 28. . .played in 8 games before being released on Nov. 25. A total of 28 NFL games.
COLLEGIATE: A four-year letterman at the University of Illinois (1977-80). . .named 2nd team All-Big Ten (AP & UPI) in 1980. . .played in the 1980 Blue-Gray and Senior Bowl games.
PERSONAL: A graduate of St. Viator High School in Arlington Heights, Ill. . .older brother of Ken, a member of the 1983 Chicago Blitz, who saw action in 5 games and now a member of the San Antonio Gunslingers. . .married (Wendy) with one child.

BRIAN GENE GLASGOW | **TIGHT END** | **NORTHERN ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-4 | **WT: 231** | **BORN: 6/9/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed in January 1984 as a territorial player.
PROFESSIONAL: Signed as a free agent by the Chicago Bears in May 1983. . .released in pre-season.
COLLEGIATE: Four-year letterman at Northern Illinois where he played wing back, split end, tight end and on special teams. . .shifted to tight end as a senior (1982), where he caught 13 passes for 171 yards (13.2 ave.) and 1 TD. . .also returned 2 kickoffs. . .named 1st team All-Mid-American Conference as a senior and honorable mention All-American AP.
PERSONAL: Graduated from Eisenhower High School in Blue Island, Ill., where he was co-captain in his senior year and MVP. . .All-SICA North Conference and All-Area and All-State honorable mention end in 1978. . .two-year letter-winner. . .industrial technology major. . .born in Burlington, Iowa.

JEFFREY ALAN (JEFF) GOSSETT **PUNTER** **EASTERN ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-2 **WT: 201** **BORN: 1/25/57**

HOW ACQUIRED: USFL rights were obtained in a trade with the Pittsburgh Maulers for the rights to Bruce Huther, LB, New Hampshire. Signed on Dec. 20, 1983.

PROFESSIONAL: Acquired on waivers by the Cleveland Browns from the Kansas City Chiefs prior to the 1983 seasons. . .played two seasons with the Chiefs (1981-82), signing as a free agent for the final 7 games of the 1981 season after trying out and missing with two other clubs (Dallas Cowboys and San Diego Chargers). . .beat out six other candidates in 1982 and finished the season as the AFC's 4th leading punter with a 41.4 average. . .finished 9th in 1983 AFC punting with a 40.8 average, hitting a career high 60-yarder against the Houston Oilers in Week 9. . .after being bypassed in the 1980 draft, he signed a free agent with Dallas. . .was the last punter cut when it was decided to let quarterback Danny White handle the punting duties. . .signed with San Diego in 1981 and appeared to have the punting job, but the Chargers traded with Miami for George Roberts days prior to the opening regular season game and Gossett was waived. . .he then became a furniture store salesman until the Chiefs called.

PROFESSIONAL BASEBALL CAREER: Selected in the 5th round of the college baseball draft by the New York Mets in 1978. . .spend the 1978-79 seasons in the Met's farm system (Class A) as a third baseman. . .played at Lynchburg in 1979, primarily as a third baseman. . .in 1983 games he hit .253 on 640 at bats, with a .411 slugging pct. . .he was placed on the restricted list on April 30, 1980. . .drafted in the 4th round by the New York Mets in June 1980. . .played three seasons of minor league ball. . .named to the Carolina League All-Star team (Class A).

COLLEGIATE: He played 3 seasons at Eastern Illinois, leading the NCAA Division II in punting as a sophomore in 1977 with a 43.0 average on 62 kicks. . .lettered three years at Eastern in both football and baseball. . .All-American in baseball as a 3rd baseman.

PERSONAL: Played football, basketball and baseball at Charleston High School before continuing his education at EIU in his hometown. . .single. . .to be married in July 1984.

GOSSETT'S PRO STATS

Year	Club	G	No.	Yards	Ave.	Long
1981	Kansas City	7	29	1,141	39.3	55
1982	Kansas City	8	33	1,366	41.4	56
1983	Cleveland	16	70	2,854	40.8	60
TOTALS		31	132	5,361	40.6	60

DAVID KRIS HAINES | **WIDE RECEIVER** | **NOTRE DAME**
HT: 5-11 | **WT: 180** | **BORN: 7/23/57**

HOW ACQUIRED: Obtained from the Los Angeles Express in a trade for the rights to Mel Gray RB/KR, Purdue (7th round 1984 Blitz draft choice) on Feb. 10, 1984. . .on Nov. 2, 1982, Haines was involved in a trade by the Chicago Blitz along with Mike Sherrod, TE, Illinois and the 6th, 7th and 8th round 1983 draft choices for the rights to Jim Fahnhorst, LB, Minnesota. . .signed by Los Angeles in December 1982.

PROFESSIONAL: An 18-game starter for the Express in 1983, catching 48 passes for 650 yards (13.5 ave.) and 5 TDs, longest was 40 yards vs. the Blitz. . .Haines caught 9 passes for 132 yards against the Blitz in 2 1983 games, including 6 for 106 yards on May 1 in the Coliseum, including the 40-yard TD. . .selected by the Washington Redskins in the 9th round of the 1979 NFL draft. . .played in 1st regular season game for Redskins and waived two days later. . .claimed by the Chicago Bears and appeared in 2 games during 1979 season. . .in 1980, played in 16 games, starting 2 at split end, for the Bears. . .caught 4 passes for 83 yards. . .in season's finale against Tampa Bay had 2 catches for 49 yards, including NFL career best of 35 yards. . .played 1st game of 1981 season, but suffered a knee injury, underwent arthoscopic surgery and placed on injured reserve for remainder of the season. . .released in 1982. . .played in 20 NFL games over 3 seasons.

COLLEGIATE: Four-year letterman (1975-78) two-year starter at Notre Dame. . .ranks 2nd on career receiving list with 63 for 1,353 yards (21.5 ave.). . .led team in 1978 with 32 catches for 699 yards (21.8 ave.), 3rd best all-time single season total. . .started every game (24) as a junior and senior. . .played in 1976 Gator Bowl and the 1978 and 1979 Cotton Bowls. . . Notre Dame defeated previously unbeaten Texas, 38-10, in the 1978 Cotton Bowl to win the National Championship. . .but it was in the 1979 Cotton Bowl in which Haines provided the Irish with one of their greatest moments. . .trailing 34-12 with7:37 left in the game, Notre Dame scored 23 points to win, 35-34. . .Haines caught the winning TD pass (8 yards) with 0:00 on the clock.

PERSONAL: Earned BBA at Notre Dame in 1979. . .rushed for 307 yards and 5 TDs in one game for Sidney (Ohio) High School, coached by his father, David. . .holds 1st degree Black Belt in karate. . .attended Law School at West Los Angeles College. . .real estate salesman and Vice President of a sports management firm in off-season. . .home is Akron, Ohio.

RONNIE WAYNE HARRIS | **CORNERBACK** | **GEORGIA**
HT: 5-9 | **WT: 182** | **BORN: 6/26/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers on Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Signed as a free agent on May 2, 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Played in 7 games, starting 3, for the Wranglers in 1983. . .intercepted 2 passes for 23 yards.
COLLEGIATE: Attended San Diego Mesa City College (1979-80), where he was an honorable mention JC All-American as a freshman. . .a thigh injury in his second season forced him out of action for 6 games. . .transferred to Georgia where he led team in interceptions in 1981 with 4, tied for 3rd in the SEC.
PERSONAL: Born in Greenville, Miss., but attended high school at San Diego High, where he was named All-Metro Area as a senior. . .a physical education major.

PERRY EDMUND HARTNETT | **OFFENSIVE TACKLE** | **SMU**
HT: 6-5 | **WT: 273** | **BORN: 4/28/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: USFL rights were obtained in a trade with San Antonio for rights to Ricky Harr, DB, Colorado State. Signed on Nov. 22, 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Selected by Chicago Bears in 5th round (116th player selected) of 1982 NFL draft. . .played in 9 games in 1982, starting the final 5 at right guard. . .waived by the Chicago Bears during the 1983 season.
COLLEGIATE: Lettered four years at Southern Methodist (1978-81). . .was All-Southwest Conference 1st team and honorable mention All-American in 1981 when SMU led the SWC in offense and 4th in the nation in rushing offense. . .started 7 games as a tackle in sophomore year. . .was back-up defensive tackle as a freshman. . .played in 1980 Holiday Bowl. . .also played in 1981 Hula and Olympia-Gold Bowl games.
PERSONAL: An All-American at Galveston High School. . .psychology major at SMU. . .nickname "Bear". . .married (Donna) with a son (Christopher).

EFREN HERRERA | **PLACEKICKER** | **UCLA**
HT: 5-9 | **WT: 190** | **BORN: 7/30/51**

HOW ACQUIRED: USFL rights were obtained in a trade with Pittsburgh for Ron Versnik, C, Wisconsin. Signed on Jan 23, 1984.
PROFESSIONAL: USFL rights were obtained by Blitz in a trade on Dec. 30, 1983, with the Pittsburgh Maulers, along with the rights for punter Jeff Gossett, in exchange for the rights to Bruce Huther, LB, New Hampshire, formerly with the Chicago Bears. . .selected by the Detroit Lions in 7th round (169th player selected) of the 1974 NFL draft. Released by the Lions on Sept. 10, 1974, and signed as a free agent by the Dallas Cowboys on Oct. 2, 1974. missed entire 1975 season due to knee injury. . .traded by Dallas to Seattle Seahawks for 5th round pick in 1979 draft on Aug. 14, 1978. On injured reserve with knee injury, Nov. 27 through remainder of 1981 season. Released by the Seahawks on Sept. 8, 1982, signed as a free agent by the Buffalo Bills on Sept. 20, 1982. Released in 1983 pre-season.
COLLEGIATE: Lettered three years at UCLA (1971-73). . .led nation in kick scoring in 1973 with 84 points. . .scored 193 points in UCLA career, including 24 for 47 field goals (51.1%) and 121 of 127 extra points. . .still holds some UCLA records and is second to former Bruin great Gary Beban in scoring. Had four field goals in one game as a sophomore vs. Washington, setting a Bruin record. . .also lettered three years in soccer and was drafted by the Los Angeles Aztecs of the NASL. . .played for coach Pepper Rodgers at UCLA *(now head coach of the USFL Memphis Showboats).*
PERSONAL: Born in La Experiencia (Guadalajara), Mexico, and moved to Southern California when he was 16 and attended LaPuente High School, where he won letters in five sports (football, baseball, wrestling, track and soccer). Owns a mexican restaurant in Dallas, *El Jardin.* Has made four NFL-USO tours during his career. *Was named placekicker on the 1973 Sporting News College All-American team.* He and his wife, Suzanne, reside in Belleview (Seattle), Washington, in the off-season. Active in numerous charitable causes during the year.
NOTES: Earned degree in Spanish with a minor in physical education and history from UCLA. Married (Suzanne). . .a son (Matthew).

HERRERA'S PRO STATS

Year	Club	G	XP	XPM	FG	FGA	Pts.
1974	Dallas	11	33	0	8	13	57
1975	Dallas	———	———	Injured Reserve	———	———	———
1976	Dallas	14	34	0	18	23	88
1977	Dallas	14	*39	2	18	29	93
1978	Seattle	16	40	4	13	21	79
1979	Seattle	16	43	3	19	23	100
1980	Seattle	16	33	0	20	31	9
1981	Seattle	12	23	2	12	17	59
1982	Buffalo	7	11	1	8	14	35
TOTALS		106	256	12	116	171	604 — 8 Years

Additional Stats: Punted twice for 49 yards, 1976; punted twice for 44 yards, 1977;punted three times for 73 yards, 1978; punted once for 36 yards and caught one pass for 20 yards, 1979; punted once for 29 yards, caught one pass for 9 yards and recovered one fumble, 1980. Note: 7 punts downed within 20-yard line.

SINGLE GAME HIGHS

Most Field Goals in One Game—4 vs. Houston, 10-5-80
Longest Field Goal Attempted—60 yards vs. Kansas City, 11-9-80
Longest Field Goal Made—54 yards vs. Green Bay, 11-1-81
Most PATs Made One Game—5 on five occasions
Most Points in One Game—14 vs. Houston, 10-5-80

DOUGLAS GENE HOPPOCK | **OFFENSIVE TACKLE** | **KANSAS STATE**
HT: 6-4 | **WT: 265** | **BORN: 1/3/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: Obtained in a trade with the Denver Gold along with fullback Larry Canada and the rights to placekicker Fred Steinfort for running back Calvin Murray and linebacker Glenn Perkins on Feb. 7, 1984. Signed as a free agent with Denver.
PROFESSIONAL: Played in 16 games for Denver in 1983, starting 15 after taking over the right tackle position. Had ankle injury in two other games.
COLLEGIATE: A two-year starter and four-year letterman who was known as one of Kansas State's better blockers during his college career. . .led the Wildcats to their first bowl game in 87 years—the Independence Bowl in 1982 against Wisconsin. . .his offensive line coach in college was also his high school coach, Jim Davie.
PERSONAL: Hoppock and his coach, Davie, won the Kansas State Football Championship at Wichita Southeast High School. . .able to bench press 380 pounds. . .an excellent high school baseball pitcher, was drafted by the San Francisco Giants out of high school in 1978, but opted to play football. . .played baseball at Kansas State one season. . .expects to earn BBA degree from Kansas State in December 1984.

GLENN THATCHER HYDE | **OFFENSIVE GUARD** | **PITTSBURGH**
HT: 6-3 | **WT: 255** | **BORN: 3/14/51**

HOW ACQUIRED: Obtained in a trade with the Denver Gold along with defensive tackle Larry White for wide receiver Neil Balholm, linebacker Orlando Flanagan, tight end Mike Hirn and defensive end Bill Purifoy plus rights to Pete Holohan, tight end, Notre Dame, on Dec. 28, 1983. Denver originally gained USFL rights to Hyde in a trade with the Washington Federals for a draft choice on Dec. 14, 1982. Signed as a free agent by the Gold on December 20, 1982.
PROFESSIONAL: The Chicago Blitz is the 9th pro team he has been associated with in his 10-year career. . .signed as a free agent by the Atlanta Falcons in 1974, but played for the Chicago Fire of the World Football League (WFL) in 1974. . .Atlanta traded him for an 8th round draft choice to the Washington Redskins in 1975, played in 1 game and released. . .signed as a free agent by the Charlotte Hornets of the WFL in 1975 and played for the remainder of the season. . .signed as a free agent by the New England Patriots after the WFL folded on Sept. 6, 1976, released and signed by the Denver Broncos on Sept. 28, 1976. . .played 88 games with Denver before being traded to the Baltimore Colts for an 8th round draft choice on Sept. 6, 1982. . .played 5 games with the Colts before being released on Dec. 7, 1982. . .played in Super Bowl XII with the Broncos. . .Hyde "wore many hats" with the Denver Gold during the 1983 USFL season. . .as one of the most consistent offensive linemen, starting all but one of the Gold's 18 games (sitting one out with an ankle injury). . .was captain of the special teams. . .and named, with five games remaining, by Head Coach Craig Morton (his former Bronco teammate) offensive line coach. . .selected to the 2nd team All-USFL by league media.
COLLEGIATE: Lettered three seasons at Pittsburgh as a defensive tackle and earned All-East honors as a senior. . .played in the Coaches' All-America game. . .also played varsity hockey for four years.
PERSONAL: Attended Berwick Academy and graduated from Lexington (Mass.) High School, where he earned two letters in football at tackle, two in hockey as a defenseman and two in baseball as a first baseman. . .nickname is "Lumpy". . .earned his bachelor's in physical education and health from Pittsburgh in 1974. . .was married in the off-season (Cindy).

DANNY MARCELLUS (Dan) JIGGETTS **OFFENSIVE TACKLE** **HARVARD**
HT: 6-5 **WT: 296** **BORN: 3/10/54**

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed by the Blitz on Sept. 30, 1983, as a free agent. Also works in the Blitz player personnel department as Director of Recruitment.
PROFFESIONAL: Selected by the Chicago Bears in the 6th round (161st player slected) of the 1976 NFL draft. . .played in 99 games over 7 seasons, starting 2 games.
COLLEGIATE: Three-time All-Ivy League at Harvard. . .All-East as a senior and 3rd team AP All-American . .captain of the 1975 team that won Ivy League Championship; shared crown in 1974. . .was also All-Ivy League in track. . .among national leaders in 35-pound weight throw at 62 feet. . .competed against Oxford-Cambridge track team in England. . .also threw the game (189' 10"), discus (150') and shotput (52' 6").
PERSONAL: Attended Westhampton Beach (N.Y.) High School, lettering and captaining the football, basketball and track teams. . .has worked on a considerable number of charitable projects and organizations in the Chicago area. . .had worked in television radio broadcasting in Chicago. . .can play the saxaphone. . .majored in government, earning BA degree in 1976. . .post-graduate work in business at the University of Chicago. . .a 1st Vice President of the NFL Players' Assn. . . .married (Karen). . .two daughters, Lauren and Kristan. . .lives in Long Grove, Ill.

RANDALL PHILLIP (Randy) JOSTES **DEFENSIVE TACKLE** **MISSOURI**
HT: 6-5 **WT: 263** **BORN: 8/15/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Selected by Wranglers in 6th round (71st player selected) of 1983 USFL draft.
PROFESSIONAL: Highest draft selection signed by the Wranglers. . .a pre-season neck injury stalled rookie season until 9th game of campaign. . .played in 10 games, starting final 9. . .finished season with 20 solo tackles and 18 assists. . .had 1 sack and four tackles for 14 yards in losses. . .he forced one fumble and recovered another.
COLLEGIATE: Three-year starter at Missouri. . .named 2nd team All-Big 8 and Tigers' Defensive Player of the Year as a senior in 1982. . .played in Hall of Fame, Liberty and Tangerine Bowls.
PERSONAL: A 1979 graduate of Ralston High School in Omaha, Neb., where he was named an All-American. . .also competed in basketball and track, winning the Nebraska state discus championship in 1979. . .is a business communications major.

MARK ANTHONY KEEL | **TIGHT END** | **ARIZONA**
HT: 6-4 | **WT. 230** | **BORN: 10/1/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Signed as a territorial draft choice by the Wranglers.
PROFESSIONAL: His rookie season produced a club-high 65 receptions for 802 yards and 2 TDs. . .in his final 5 games, he caught 28 passes for 322 yards (11.5 ave.). . .best game was 8 catches for 117 yards in Oakland Invaders (5/2/83). . .played in 18 games, starting 17 with receptions in each of the final 12 games. . .he also caught a pair of 2-point conversions, including one in the dramatic come-from-behind 30-29 victory over the 1983 Chicago Blitz. . .was named offensive player of the game in the opening game of the 1983 season and broke into the starting lineup the second week of the campaign.
COLLEGIATE: Played two years at Arizona and earned All-Pac 10 honorable mention in his senior season. . .led league tight ends a a junior (1981) with 27 receptions. . .career total at Arizona was 59 catches for 856 yards and 6 TDs. . .an All-American at Olympic Junior College in Bremerton, Wash.
PERSONAL: Graduated from Clover Park High School in Tacoma, Wash., in 1979. . .earned 3 letters in basketball, 2 in track and 1 each in football and baseball. . .all-conference in football and basketball as a senior. . .public administration major, with a psychology minor.

KEEL'S PRO STATS

Year	Games	Starts	Rec.	Yards	Avg.	Lg.	TD
1983	18	17	65	802	12.3	27	2

NOTE: Named to the 2nd team All-USFL team in 1983.

DON WESLEY KIMBLE | **OUTSIDE LINEBACKER** | **TEXAS-EL PASO**
HT: 6-2 | **WT: 226** | **BORN: 10/31/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed as a free agent by the Blitz in November 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Signed as a free agent by the Chicago Bears in 1983 and released pre-season.
COLLEGIATE: Was a transfer from Tyler (Texas) Junior College. . .played both tight end and linebacker at Texas-El Paso. . .had 36 tackles, 1 interception and 1 sack in 1982.
PERSONAL: Graduated from Jefferson Davis High School in Houston in 1979. . .plays the bass guitar. . .a physical education major. . .lives in Houston.

JON JOSEPH KIMMEL | **OUTSIDE LINEBACKER** | **COLGATE**
HT: 6-4 | **WT: 247** | **BORN: 7/21/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Signed by the Wranglers as a free agent on Jan. 27, 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Became a regular with 15 starts in 17 games. . .recorded the Wranglers' 1st sack in its history in the 1983 season's opener. . .recorded 126 tackles during season, 4 sacks for 27 yards in losses and 4 tackles for another 17 yards in losses. . .was 5th among defenders in tackles. . .he set team standard with 3 sacks on opening day of Oakland Invader quarterback Fred Besana.
COLLEGIATE: Four-year letterman at Colgate as an outside linebacker. . .began college career as a defensive end and moved to defensive tackle before switching to linebacker slot. . .aided Red Raiders to a 7-3 record in senior season and a 9th place Division 1-AA ranking.
PERSONAL: Graduated in 1978 from Susquehanna Valley High School in Conklin, N.Y., where he earned all-league tight end honors. . .he also earned letters in basketball and track. . .earned a BA in geology in 1982 and works in the off-season as a geologist with the Phelps Dodge Corp. in Arizona. . .married (Sharon).

TIMOTHY JOHN KOEGEL | **QUARTERBACK** | **NOTRE DAME**
HT: 6-4 | **WT: 200** | **BORN: 10/28/58**

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed as a territorial assigned player by the Blitz in February 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Became the Blitz backup quarterback in its inaugural season and saw action in the first 11 games in 1983 as the holder on 28 field goal tries and 34 extra points in addition to mop-up duties in 7 games on 49 snaps. . .in the 12th game of the 1983 season, Koegel entered the New Jersey Generals game at Giants Stadium on the third play of the fourth quarter after quarterback Greg Landy suffered a broken right ankle with 14:49 remaining and the score tied a 7-all. . .he quarterbacked the team on the next 22 offensive plays, including 3:53 of overtime to produce two field goals and the winning touchdown on a fake field goal try, running in from the 5-yard line, for a 19-13 victory. . .he started the next four—beating the Arizona Wranglers, 36-11, completing 12 of 29 passes for 202 yards and 1 TD; losing to the Boston Breakers, 21-15; and beating the Tampa Bay Bandits, 31-8, throwing 3 TD passes. . .in Koegel's 4th start, in Game 16 at Birmingham, he suffered a knee injury on the team's 2nd series in the first quarter knocking him out of action for the season. . .for the year he was 42 of 89 passes for 557 yards, 5 TDs and 2 interceptions. . .prior to joining the Blitz, Koegel signed a free agent contract with the Denver Broncos and released in the 1982 pre-season.
COLLEGIATE: Lettered at Notre Dame as a freshman in 1977 behind Joe Montana and Rusty Lisch. . .played sparingly behind Montana in 1978. . .lettered in 1979 behind Lisch and Mike Courey. . .injured neck prior to second game of 1980 and sat out remainder of the season. . .and in 1981 shared quarterbacking duties (and lettered) with Blair Kiel. . .career statistics were 72 of 140 (51.4%) for 979 yards. . .7 TDs and 5 interceptions. . .played in 1977 and 1978 Cotton Bowls and 1980 Sugar Bowl. . .Notre Dame's 1977 team was National Champion.
PERSONAL: Led Cincinnati Moeller High School to consecutive Ohio State championships in 1975 and 1976. . .high school All-American as a senior. . .Ohio Class 3A player of the year in 1976. . .holds Moeller passing records-season yardage (1,512), career yardage (3,737), career TD passes (46) and completion percentage (76.0%). . .also was All-City in basketball (2) and Baseball (2) as a shortstop. . .his brother, Vic, lettered at Ohio State (1971-72-73) and another brother, Steve, played at Ohio State. . .earned a bachelor's degree in American studies, from Notre Dame in January 1982. . .now attending law school.

GARY WAYNE LEWIS | **FLANKER** | **TEXAS-ARLINGTON**
HT: 6-5 | **WT: 227** | **BORN: 12/30/58**

HOW ACQUIRED: USFL rights assigned to the Blitz. . .signed as a free agent on Nov. 22, 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Selected by Green Bay Packers in 2nd round (35th player selected) of 1981 NFL draft. . .played three seasons and 41 games for the Packers, employed extensively with tight end starter Paul Coffman in two-tight end situations. . .also backed up flanker John Jefferson. . .also played on most special teams where he gained his greatest pro fame. . .provided the Packers with a new weapon in 1982 when he set a club record by blocking kicks in four consecutive games (extra point vs. New York Jets and field goal attempts vs. Buffalo Bills, Detroit Lions and Baltimore Colts). . .biggest day came in 1982 playoffs when he blocked one extra point and one FGA by St. Louis Cardinals' Neil O'Donoghue and deflected two other FGAs wide of the uprights in a 41-16 Packer victory at Lambeau Field. . .good speed (4.65 in the 40), great height and an excellent feel for both run and pass routes.
COLLEGIATE: Ranks 3rd on Texas-Arlington's all-time receiving list with 66 career receptions. . .was team captain in 1980. . .played in 1981 East-West Shrine Game.
PERSONAL: Was member of the Daingerfield (Texas) High School basketball team which won the 1976 Texas State Championships. . .nickname is "Tic". . .born in Mt. Pleasant, Texas. . .married (Kim).

LEWIS' PRO STATS

Year	Club	Games	Rec.	Yards	TD
1981	Green Bay	16	3	31	–
1982	Green Bay	9	3	21	–
1983	Green Bay	16	11	204	1
TOTALS		41	17	256	1

Also, rushed 4 times for 16 yards in 1982, scoring 1 TD.

VIRGIL CHESTER LIVERS, JR. | **CORNERBACK** | **WESTERN KENTUCKY**
HT: 5-9 | **WT: 182** | **BORN: 3/26/52**

HOW ACQUIRED: Blitz obtained USFL rights in a trade with the Oakland Invaders for linebacker Al Washington on Dec. 1, 1982. Signed on Dec. 23, 1982.

PROFESSIONAL: Selected by Chicago Bears in 4th round (83rd player selected) of 1975 NFL draft. . .broke in as the starter at right corner mid-way into his rookie season in 1975. . .played in 68 games, started 60, before a knee injury placed him on injured reserve for the entire 1980 season. . .released by the Bears in 1981, signed by the Green Bay Packers and released in 1982. Led Bears in 1977 with 16 passes broken up and as a rookie set an NFL record with 42 punt returns without a fair catch. . .in 5 seasons he fair caught only two punts. He immediately became the starter at right corner for the Blitz in all 18 regular season games and the playoff and was named a defensive co-captain. . .he intercepted 4 passes, had 54 tackles, 48 of them solo, and 11 passes broken up. . .nominated as the Blitz Man of the Year for the USFL.

COLLEGIATE: Went from freshman walk-on to senior star at Western Kentucky. . .also a three-year letter winner in track (9.4 in 100). . .was a basketball cheerleader as a freshman. . .returned 50 punts for 545 yards in 1974 (an NCAA Division II co-record) for 3 TDs. . .played in Coaches All-America Game in Lubback, Texas, and in the final College All-Star Game in Chicago in 1975, setting a record for a punt return, 89 yards against the Steelers. . .named Little All-American and was All-Conference in football and track.

PERSONAL: A four-sport star at Nelson County (Ky.) High School in Bardstown, but played only one season of football. . .earned a bachelor's degree in education and psychology from Western Kentucky in 1975 and earned a master's degree from Roosevelt University in Chicago in January 1984. In the off-season he works as a substitute teacher in Chicago Suburban School Districts 207 and 214. . .does volunteer work for a number of non-profit organizations—Better Boys Foundation, Minority Economic Resources Corp (MERC) and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. He and his wife, Linda, live in Buffalo Grove, Ill., with their son, Alexander.

LIVERS' PRO STATS

			INTERCEPTIONS				PUNT RETURNS				KO RETURNS		
Year	**Club**	**G**	**No.**	**Yards**	**Ave.**	**TD**	**No.**	**Yds.**	**Ave.**	**No.**	**Yards**	**Ave.**
1975	Chicago, NFL	14	2	40	20.0	1	42	456	10.9	26	529	20.3
1976	Chicago, NFL	14	3	34	11.3	—	28	205	7.3	1	14	14.0
1977	Chicago, NFL	14	2	29	14.5	—	6	46	7.7	—	—	—
1978	Chicago, NFL	13	3	86	28.7	1	10	31	—	—	—	—
1979	Chicago, NFL	13	2	41	20.5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1983	Chicago, USFL	18	4	43	10.8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTALS		86	16	273	17.1	2	86	738	8.6	27	543	20.1

JAMES LOONEY, JR. | **MIDDLE LINEBACKER** | **PURDUE**
HT: 5-11 | **WT: 227** | **BORN: 8/18/57**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Signed as a free agent by the Wranglers in January 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Played in 6 games for the Wranglers, starting 2, in 1983. . .had been waived by Arizona on May 12, 1983; claimed by Chicago Blitz on May 13, 1983; waived by the Blitz on June 2, 1983; and re-signed as a free agent by Arizona on June 4, 1983. . .had 53 tackles for the Wranglers. . .signed as a free agent with the San Francisco 49ers in 1981, released in the final cut in pre-season. . .re-signed for 2 games of the 1981 NFL season and then released.
COLLEGIATE: Transferred to Purdue from Los Angeles Southwest Junior College, where he played two seasons (1977-78), earning honorable mention All-American, All-California and All-Conference honors in 1978. . .earned "big play" reputation at Purdue as one of the hardest hitters in the Big Ten. . .1st team All-Big Ten by AP in 1980. . .holds single season record for solo tackles (117 in 1980). . .in 16 games as a starter, he caused 12 fumbles, intercepted 4 passes and recovered 4 fumbles. . .the 12 fumbles he caused is a Purdue career record.
PERSONAL: Starred at Crenshaw High School in Los Angeles. . .considered too small to play linebacker at a major college, he took two years off to build up to 225 pounds and then entered junior college. . .majored in administration of justice, looking to a career as a probation or parole officer. . .worked as a graduate assistant at Purdue in 1982. . .bench presses 425 pounds. . .born in Bastrop, La.

KEITH ANTHONY MaGEE | **WIDE RECEIVER** | **NEW MEXICO**
HT: 5-11 | **WT: 156** | **BORN: 11/8/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. A 1983 Wrangler territorial draft selection.
PROFESSIONAL: Played in 13 games for the Wranglers in 1983. . .caught 6 passes for 85 yards (14.2 ave.). . .returned 3 kickoffs for 50 yards (16.7 ave.). . .carried once on end around for a minus 11 yards.
COLLEGIATE: A four-year letterman (1979-82) in football. . .as a freshman, played on the Lobo basketball team, averaging 5.4 points a game. . .named honorable mention All-Western Athletic Conference as a senior. . .finished college career as the second ranked receiver with 97 receptions.
PERSONAL: A three-year starter at quarterback at San Diego's Morse High School. . .named All-League, All-City and team's MVP. . .also played basketball and baseball. . .born in Boogalousa, La.

MIKE KENT MORGAN | **DEFENSIVE TACKLE** | **BYU**
HT: 6-4 | **WT: 262** | **BORN: 5/30/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Signed by the Wranglers as a free agent on April 30, 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Played in 8 games, started 1, for the Wranglers in 1983. . .saw action as a defensive end.
COLLEGIATE: A four-year letterman (1979—82) at BYU as a defensive end. . .red-shirted in 1978. . .in senior year had 63 tackles, 21 quarterback hurries and 5 sacks.
PERSONAL: Graduated from Brighton High School in Salt Lake City. . .lives in Provo, Utah, with his wife, Keri.

SAMUEL GLENN NORRIS, SR | **OUTSIDE LINEBACKER** | **EAST CAROLINA**
HT: 6-3 | **WT: 221** | **BORN: 9/22/59**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Signed by Wranglers as a free agent in January 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Played in 16 games for the Wranglers in 1983, starting 9. . .had 48 tackles in first 8 games, but increased that to 79 in final 8. . .had 62 solo tackles in total of 127, ranking 4th among defenders. . .had 8 tackles for 33 yards in losses, coming in final 7 games, 2nd on team. . .tied for team honors with 6 sacks for a team-high 57 yards in losses. . .also had 2 interceptions and 2 fumble recoveries. . .had outstanding game against the Chicago Blitz (5-30-83) with 10 tackles, 3 assists and 1 interception.
COLLEGIATE: Played at San Francisco City College (1980-81) before transferring to East Carolina (1982). . .was All-Golden Gate Conference defensive back in 1981 and earned starting role in secondary at East Carolina.
PERSONAL: Graduated from Abraham Lincoln High School in San Diego in 1977 where he was a three-year letterman in football, basketball and baseball. . .all-league selection as a defensive back as a senior. . .majoring in business, but has a drama minor. . .father of a seven-year-old son, Sam, Jr.

DOUGLAS WALTER PLANK | **FREE SAFETY** | **OHIO STATE**
HT: 6-0 | **WT: 199** | **BORN: 3/4/53**

HOW ACQUIRED: USFL rights assigned to the Blitz. . .signed on Dec. 16, 1983.

PROFESSIONAL: Selected by the Chicago Bears in the 12 round (291st player selected) of the 1975 NFL draft. . .played in 102 NFL games with the Bears in 8 seasons before being placed on the inactive list on Sept. 19, 1982. . .placed on injured reserve with a back injury on Nov. 30, 1982, through remainder of the 1982 season. . .released by the Bears on May 15, 1983. . .credited with a safety in 1981 vs. Oakland on sack of Marc Wilson in end zone. . .has forced 30 turnovers in pro career. . .although a 12th round draft pick, Plank became an instant regular at free safety, starting first pre-season game. . .got game ball for interception at San Francisco with 41 seconds remaining to save a 28-27 victory (10-28-79) that started Bears on playoff surge. . .also won games balls in 1977 victories over Los Angeles and Tampa Bay. . .started 95 of his 102 pro games. . .went three seasons without a penalty until December 1979. . .made his first pro interception off Roman Gabriel. . .named 1977 winner of Chicago Red Cloud Grif Award.

COLLEGIATE: Was a three-year Ohio State letterman, but had only 5 starts. . .Buckeyes were 29-4-1 during his varsity career. . .3 interceptions as a senior. . .played in three Rose Bowl games; sent Ohio State to 1974 Pasadena game with game saving tackle on one-foot line against Michigan to preserve a 14-11 victory.

PERSONAL: Did the Bears/NFL United Way commercial in 1979. . .sought after banquet speaker. . .was all-state running back at Irwin (Pa.) Norwin High School, where he captained the football, basketball and baseball teams. . .played all backfield positions in high school. . .had conducted a ski tour to Austria during off season. . .active in civic affairs and Fellowship of Christian Athletes. . .earned BA degree in sociology (criminology) at Ohio State. . .married (Nancy), one daughter (Andrea) and one son (Michael). . .hopes to sit for a CPA examination in November 1984. . .opening a Burger King franchise in the fall of 1984 in Columbus, Ohio. . .worked as a securities broker in Chicago for the Interbank Equity Corp. in 1983. . .lives in Buffalo Grove, Ill.

PLANK'S PRO STATS

		INTERCEPTIONS					FUMBLES		Pass	Sacks/
Year	Games	No.	Yds.	Ave.	Tackles	Solo	Rec.	Forced	Def.	Yards
1975	14	2	50	25.0	123	74	—	1	8	1/10
1976	14	4	31	7.8	132	90	4	4	12	—
1977	11	4	32	8.0	71	43	—	—	4	1/14
1978	14	1	0	—	70	52	2	5	4	—
1979	16	3	33	11.0	108	72	1	4	7	—
1980	15	1	20	20.0	81	53	3	2	—	—
1981	16	—	—	—	67	51	4	—	11	3/24
1982	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTALS	102	15	166	11.1	652	435	15	16	46	5/48

PUNT RETURNS: 3 for 23 in 1975; 1 for 21 in 1977; 1 for 0 in 1980; and 1 for 3 in 1981

DENNIS W. SHAW | **QUARTERBACK** | **SAN DIEGO STATE**
HT: 6-3 | **WT: 212** | **BORN: 3/3/47**

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed as a free agent in November 1983. Will also serve as a playing coach, working with the receivers.
PROFESSIONAL: Selected by the Buffalo Bills in the 2nd round of the 1970 NFL draft. . .was named AFC rookie of the year as he became an immediate starter. . .started three years, but was injured in 1973 and eventually lost the starter's role to Joe Ferguson. . .Shaw was traded to St. Louis in 1974 and was reunited with his college coach, Don Coryell. . .played in 2 games that season, was backup in 1975 and released during the 1976 training camp. . .he played briefly with the Green Bay Packers in the 1976 training camp. . .then was picked up by the New York Giants. . . released in 1977 and sat out the season. . .was signed as a free agent by Marv Levy and the Kansas City Chiefs in 1978, was active for 16 games but did not play. . .his best game was in 1970 when he threw for 358 yards against the Miami Dolphins. . .in 1971 he tossed 4 TD passes against the Dallas Cowboys, including a 75-yarder to Marlin Briscoe.
COLLEGIATE: First entered college at Southern California in 1965. . .moved on to Mt. San Antonio Junior College in 1968. . .and finished at San Diego State, playing the 1968-69 seasons, under Don Coryell, leading the Aztecs to a 20-0-1 record. . .established 10 NCAA passing and total offense records and shared one. . .threw 9 TD passes in 1969 game against New Mexico State (including 4 in the 2nd quarter and 7 in the 1st half). . .holds career mark of 2.9 TD passes per game and highest percentage of TD passes (11.6%). . . teamed up with Tom Reynolds in 1969 with 17 TD passes. . .led nation in total offense in 1969 (3,197 yards) and passing efficiency. . .San Diego State captain in 1968—69. . .MVP in 1969 for Aztecs and in East-West Shrine and Senior Bowl games. . .also played in College All-Star, All-American Bowl and Coaches All-American games.
PERSONAL: Since leaving pro football, Shaw served as offensive coordinator at Eastern Illinois in 1980, head coach of Chula Vista High School in San Diego in 1981 and offensive coordinator of Western Illinois in 1982. . .earned a degree in physical education from San Diego State in 1970. . .he and his wife, Betsy, have one child.

SHAW'S PRO STATS

Year	Att.	Comp.	Yards	Pct	TD	Int.	Ave. Att.
1970	321	178	2,507	55.5	10	20	7.8
1971	291	149	1,813	51.2	11	26	8.2
1972	258	136	1,666	52.7	14	17	6.5
1973	46	22	300	47.8	—	4	6.5
1974	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1975	8	4	61	50.0	—	1	7.6
1976	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1978	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTALS	924	489	6,347	52.9	35	68	6.9

ROBERT GATLING (Bob) SIMMONS **OFFENSIVE GUARD** **TEXAS**
HT: 6-4 **WT: 261** **BORN: 7/7/54**

HOW ACQUIRED: USFL rights obtained in a trade with the San Antonio Gunslingers for running back Doug Banks on Oct. 24, 1983. Signed on Dec. 20, 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Selected by New Orleans Saints in 3rd round (77th played selected) of 1976 NFL draft. . .released by New Orleans in August 1976 and signed as a free agent by Kansas City Chiefs in April 1977. . .with Kansas City through 1983 season. . .in 7 NFL seasons, Simmons has played in 88 games; starting 72. . .Simmons broke into starting lineup in the 4th game of the 1977 season and maintained the job through the 1980 campaign. . .was on injured reserve with a torn calf muscle from Sept. 29 through remainder of 1981 season. . .owns the versatility to play any position on the offensive line, although his main position was left guard.
COLLEGIATE: Three-time All-Southwest Conference performer at Texas and played in two Cotton Bowls, the Gator Bowl, Bluebonnet Bowl and Hula Bowl during his career. captained Texas in his senior year and named first team All-American by AP & UPI in 1975.
PERSONAL: A physical education major. . .married (Sherry). . .has twin girls.

JAMES E. STONE **FULLBACK** **NOTRE DAME**
HT: 6-1 **WT: 212** **BORN: 11/18/58**

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed by the Blitz as a territorial player in October, 1982.
PROFESSIONAL: Played in 6 games for the Blitz in 1983 before breaking his right arm in Week 6 vs. Birmingham. . .as a backup fullback he carried 15 times for 41 yards (2.7 ave.) and scored 1 TD (8 yds. vs. Tampa Bay). . .returned 6 kickoffs for 102 yards (17.0 ave.). . .and played on special teams. . .selected by the Seattle Seahawks in the 9th round (223rd player selected) in the 1981 NFL draft, released in pre-season. . .signed as a free agent by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in 1982, released in pre-season.
COLLEGE: A four-year letterman (1977-80) at Notre Dame. . .as a senior, he rushed for 908 yards (192 carries, 4.7 ave., 7 TDs) for 7th best all-time season's total in Irish history. . .held Notre Dame record for 4 consecutive games of 100 yards or more rushing (1980), including 2 games more than 200 yards — 224 (38 carries) vs. Miami, Fla. (3rd best all-time) and 211 (33 carries) vs. Navy (5th best all-time).
PERSONAL: Received BA in communications from Notre Dame in 1981. . .prepped at John F. Kennedy High School in Seattle.

VINCENT MARTIN STROTH | **OFFENSIVE TACKLE** | **BYU**
HT: 6-3 | **WT: 256** | **BORN: 11/25/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Was a 13th round (146th player selected) choice by the Wranglers in the 1983 USFL draft.
PROFESSIONAL: Slowed down early in the 1983 season with a foot injury, but came on strong to earn 11 starts in the 14 games he appeared. . .earned praise for solid improvement and consistency. . .had first start on April 17 vs. Boston Breakers. . .named offensive player of the game on May 30 at Chicago.
COLLEGIATE: A four-year letterman at BYU. . .noted for fine pass blocking techniques. . .played in four Holiday Bowls. . .earned All-Western Athletic Conference and honorable mention All-American honors in his senior year. . .played both tackle and guard in college.
PERSONAL: Graduated from Bellarmine College Prep School in San Jose, Calif., in 1979. . .played football as a end and offensive tackle. . .earned all-league, all-county and all-city honors. . .working towards a degree in art history.

MALCOLM TAYLOR | **DEFENSIVE TACKLE** | **TENNESSEE STATE**
HT: 6-6 | **WT: 284** | **BORN: 6/20/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: USFL rights obtained in a trade with the Memphis Showboats for past considerations on Jan. 9, 1984.
PROFESSIONAL: Selected by the Houston Oilers in the 5th round (121st player selected) of the 1982 NFL draft. . .played in 9 games in 1982 and 16 games in 1983, starting 5 of them. . .a total of 25 games. Credited with 4½ sacks in 1983.
COLLEGIATE: A three-year starter at Tennessee State. . .enjoyed best year in 1981 despite missing six games due to minor wrist surgery with career best 28 unassisted tackles in shortened season. . .had 10 career sacks. . .in 1981: AP 1st team Little All-American. . .Football Coaches 1st Team Division 1-AA All-American.
PERSONAL: A member of Nashville's Big Brother Organization. . .and active in YMCA youth programs.

BRUCE EDWARD THORNTON | **DEFENSIVE END** | **ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-6 | **WT: 271** | **BORN: 2/14/58**

HOW ACQUIRED: Signed as a free agent territorial player on Nov. 22, 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Selected by the Dallas Cowboys in 8th round (219th player selected) of the 1979 NFL draft. . .played three seasons (1979-81) and 41 games with the Cowboys. . .released by Dallas on Sept. 6, 1982, claimed on waivers by the St. Louis Cardinals on Sept. 7, 1982, and played in 6 games before being released. . .played in NFC championship games following 1980 and 1981 seasons. . .played in a total of 47 NFL games over 4 seasons.
COLLEGIATE: Lettered four years (1975-78) at Illinois. . .named to the All-Big Ten Academic team in 1977. . .played in 1978 Japan Bowl.
PERSONAL: Graduated from Chadsey High School in Detroit. . .graduated from Illinois. . .a resident of Dallas, he and his wife, Denise, have one child.

W. ROD WALTERS | **OFFENSIVE GUARD** | **IOWA**
HT: 6-3 | **WT: 257** | **BORN: 2/27/54**

HOW ACQUIRED: USFL rights assigned to the Blitz.
PROFESSIONAL: Selected by the Kansas City Chiefs in the 1st round of the 1976 NFL draft. . .played four seasons with the Chiefs (1976-80) before being traded to the Miami Dolphins in Week 7 of the 1980 season. . .released and claimed by the Detroit Lions in Week 10 in 1980.
COLLEGIATE: A four-year letterman at Iowa, where he was named All-Big Ten and All-American as a senior in 1975. . .played in the 1975 East-West Shrine Game and the Senior Bowl. . .also played in the 1975 College All-Star Game in Chicago.
PERSONAL: Earn a BGS in economics at Iowa. . .did graduate work at the University of Missouri at Kansas City and Michigan State, where he earned his MBA in finance in 1982. . .works in banking in the off-season.

THOMAS AQUINAS (Tommy) WILCOX | **FREE SAFETY** | **ALABAMA**
HT: 5-11 | **WT: 191** | **BORN: 7/30/59**

HOW ACQUIRED: Transferred to Blitz roster from Arizona Wranglers in Sept. 30, 1983, sales transaction. Wranglers obtained USFL rights from the Birmingham Stallions in February 1983.
PROFESSIONAL: Was a defensive standout for the Wranglers in his rookie season, playing in 15 games and starting 14. . .led team in interceptions with 6 for 59 yards. . .long interception return was a 38-yard effort vs. the Washington Federals in Week 15 in which he covered more Sun Devil Stadium turf than most running backs in a full game. . .in earlier victory over the Federals at RFK stadium he had 2 interceptions. . .was 3rd leading tackler with 158 stops (70 solos). . .recovered 2 fumbles and forced 3 more to have a part in a club-high 11 turnovers. . .also returned 3 kickoffs for 36 yards. . .battled nagging injuries throughout the season.
COLLEGIATE: A four-year starter for Alabama. . .earned All-SEC Honors and Freshman All-American selection in 1979. . .earned two more All-American honors and three All-SEC plaques during his career, earning a reputation as one of the finest defensive players to play for the Crimson Tide. . .had been recruited by Bear Bryant as a wishbone quarterback out of Bonnabel High School in New Orleans. . .redshirted in 1978 before moving into the secondary in 1979. . .had 9 interceptions in first three seasons, but was shut-out as a senior. . .Alabama was 1979 National Champions and Wilcox was the leading interceptor with 4.
PERSONAL: Was a high school All-American quarterback, leading Bonnabel to the Louisiana State AAAA championship as a senior. . .his father, Freddie, played football at Tulane. . .a public relations major, he used the off-season to earn his degree at Tuscaloosa. . .married (Mary).

1983 CHICAGO BLITZ DRAFT

Round	No.	Player
1	2	Tim Spencer, RB, Ohio State (from Arizona)
1B	11	Trumaine Johnson, WR, Grambling (from Boston)
2	19	Johnny Hector, RB, Texas A&M
3	30	Frank Minnifield, DB, Louisville
4	43	Matt Vanden Boom, DB, Wisconsin
5		To Washington
6		To Los Angeles
7		To Los Angeles
8		To Los Angeles
9		To Boston
10		To Boston
11	126	Pat Dunsmore, TE, Drake
12		To Boston
13	150	Ron Versnik, C, Wisconsin
14	163	Jim Kelly, QB, Miami (Fla.)
15	174	Matt Hernandez, DT, Purdue
16	187	Reggie Roby, P, Iowa
17	198	Chuck Ehin, DE, BYU
18	211	Andy Gilber, TE, Missouri
19	222	Shamus McDonough, DT, Iowa State
20	235	Babe Laufenburg, QB, Indiana
21	246	Karl Mecklenburg, DE, Minnesota
22	259	Mark Rush, RB, Miami, (Fla.)
23	270	Chuck Nelson, K, Washington
24	283	Dennis Talbot, LB, Rhode Island

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1. Larry Alleyne, LB, No. Illinois
2. Charles Armstead, DB, Illinois
3. Rich Barrent, G, No. Illinois
4. Mike Bass, K, Illinois
5. Dennis Bishop, DB, Illinois
6. Darryl Byrd, LB, Illinois
7. Phil Carter, RB, Notre Dame
8. Bob Clasby, DE, Notre Dame
9. Joe Curtis, RB, Illinois
10. Dave Duerson, DB, Notre Dame
11. Tony Eason, QB, Illinois
12. Mark Fischer, C, Notre Dame
13. Dan Gregus, DE, Illinois
14. Chris Hinton, T, Northwestern
15. Tony Hunter, TE, Notre Dame
16. J.D. Johnson, DE, Western Illinois
17. Adam Lingner, C, Illinois
18. Mike Martin, WR, Illinois
19. Larry Moriarty, RB, Notre Dame
20. Bob Pratt, G, Northwestern
21. John Stadnik, T, Western Ilinois
22. Jerome Stelly, WR, Western Illinois
23. Tom Thayer, G, Notre Dame
24. Oliver Williams, WR, Illinois
25. Mark Zavagnin, LB, Notre Dame
26. Traded to Boston

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Round	No.	Player
1	3	Irving Fryar, WR, (from San Antonio)
1B	7	Albert Bentley,RB, Miami
2	26	Terry Taylor, DB, So. Illinois
2B	34	Mike Russell, LB, (from Arizona)
3	44	Bobby Bell, LB, (from Houston, thru Arizona)
3B	49	Tron Armstrong, WR, E. Kentucky
4		To Denver thru Michigan
4B	82	James King, OT, (from San Antonio)
5		To LA Thru Birmingham
6		To Washington
7	133	Mel Gray, RB, Purdue
8	152	Donnell Daniel, DB, So. Illinois
9	175	Phil McFadden, PK, Youngstown St.
9B	176	Dean May, QB, (from Washington)
10		Forfeited
11		To LA
11B	220	Michel Bourgeau, DE, (from Denver)
12		To New Orleans
12B	244	Randy Rasmussen, OG, (from Arizona thru Chicago and thru New Orleans)
13		To Memphis
14		To Memphis Thru Arizona
15		To New Jersey
16		To Memphis
17		to Memphis
18		To Memphis
19		To Memphis

1984 CHICAGO BLITZ TERRITORIAL DRAFT

1. Carl Aikens, WR, No. Illinois
2. Greg Bell, RB, Notre Dame
3. Dwight Beverly, RB, Illinois
4. Scott Bolzan, OT, No. Illinois
5. Ed Brady, LB, Illinois
6. Tim Brewster, TE, Illinois
7. Mitchell Brookins, WR, Illinois
8. Chris Brown, FS, Notre Dame
9. Mark Butkus, DT, Illinois
10. Archie Carter, LB, Illinois
11. Ricky Edwards, RB, Northwestern
12. Clinton Haynes, LB, Illinois
13. Mike Johnson, DE, Illinois
14. John Kidd, P, Northwes ern
15. Blair Kiel QB, Notre Dame
16. Neil Maune, OG, Notre Dame
17. Mike Shiner, OT, Notre Dame
18. Don Thorp, DT, Illinois
19. Stacy Toran, CB, Notre Dame
20. Tim Tyrell, QB, No. Illinois

1984 DRAFT SELECTIONS

IRVING FRYAR | **WINGBACK** | **NEBRASKA**
HT: 6-0 | **WT: 200** | **BORN: 9/28/62**

HOW ACQUIRED: Drafted in the 1st round of the 1984 USFL open draft by the Chicago Blitz (3rd pick overall) after the Blitz traded the rights to Kansas City Chiefs QB Bob Gagliano to San Antonio for DT Broderick Thompson and the number 3 pick overall.

COLLEGIATE: Concensus All-American. . .the premier receiver in collegiate football this past season. . .dangerous from anywhere on the field. . .all-purpose player. . .caught team-leading total of 40 passes for 780 yards (19.5 ave.) and eight TDs for the most potent offense in NCAA history. . .caught a pair of TD passes of 70 and 68 yards as the Huskers' rolled up 84 points in single game against Minnesota. . .rushing totals for '83 include 25 carries for 318 yards (13.8 ave.) and two TDs. . .ran for a 54—yarder in win against Colorado. . .in that contest Nebraska scored 48 points in the third quarter. . .also returns punts and kickoffs. . .averaged 6.3 yards per punt return in '83. . .has three career punt returns for scores, two better than 70 yards. . .returned two kickoffs for 28.0 yard average in '83. . .scored 10 TDs and two two-point conversions in '83. . .owns 19 career TDs. . .runs the 40-yard dash in 4.43 seconds. . .owns 37-inch vertical jump. . .majoring in meteorology.

ALBERT BENTLEY | **FULLBACK** | **MIAMI (FLA.)**
Ht: 5-11 | **Wt: 208** | **Born: 8/15/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: Drafted in the 1st round of the 1984 USFL open draft by the Chicago Blitz (7th pick overall).

COLLEGIATE: Unbelievable success story. . .walked on the squad twice before finally receiving a scholarship from Miami Head Coach Howard Schnellenberger. . .Schnellenberger says about Bentley, "I can't think of any one who deserves it more". . .one of a family of 13 from the Everglades in Florida. . .rode bike to first tryout from home. . .scored the winning TD, a seven-yard run, to secure a 31-30 upset of previously unbeaten Nebraska and propel the 'Canes to No. 1 in the final polls. . .rushed for 722 yards on 144 carries in '83. . .averaged 5.0 yards per carry and scored five TDs as a senior. . .fifth-year senior. . .on receiving end of 32 passes for 244 yards and one TD. . .for a career-high 152-yards versus Louisville. . .has returned 11 kickoffs for 188 yards (17.6 ave.) during career. . .caught the eye of the coaches after an 80-yard kickoff return versus Florida State JV. . .sat out sophomore year to beef-up academics. . .majoring in business administration. . .makes home in Immokalee, Fla.

TERRY TAYLOR | **DEFENSIVE BACK** | **SOUTHERN ILLINOIS**
HT: 5-10 | **WT: 170** | **BORN: 7/18/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in the 2nd round of the 1984 USFL open draft by the Chicago Blitz (26th pick overall).

COLLEGIATE: Big-play specialist. . .picked-off eight passes in '83 leading the Salukis to the NCAA 1-AA football crown. . .named to Kodak first-team All-American squad Division 1-AA. . .called "best athlete" on the team and also "potentially the finest cornerback in the nation" by former SIU Head Coach Rey Dempsey. . .owner of 20 career collegiate interceptions. . .nose for the ball. . .also pilfered 18 passes while prepping at Rayen HS in Youngstown, OH. . .registered 53 total tackles and two fumble recoveries during '83 championship campaign. . .during the first home game of the season against Eastern Illinois, Taylor blocked a 20-yard EIU field goal attempt with less than a minute left in the contest to preserve SIU's 17-14 win. . .pilfered a pair of passes in SIU's playoff win against Indiana State. . .picked-off two passes in the final five minutes as the Salukis defeated Nevada-Reno in the semi-finals. . .majoring in physical education. . .lives in Youngstown, OH.

MIKE RUSSELL | **LINEBACKER** | **TOLEDO**
HT: 6-2 | **WT: 230** | **BORN: 9/12/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in the 2nd round of the USFL open draft by the Chicago Blitz (34th pick overall).

COLLEGIATE: First-team All-Mac selection for Toledo in '83. . .fifth-year senior. . .hard hitter and aggressive defender. . .second on the team in tackles with 62 solos and 38 assists. . .had seven sacks. . .recovered two fumbles and caused a pair of loose balls. . .attended Lake HS along with twin-brother Marlin Russell who played with the New Jersey Generals last September. . .resides in Walbridge, OH.

BOBBY BELL | **LINEBACKER** | **MISSOURI**
HT: 6-3 | **WT: 214** | **BORN: 2/7/62**

HOW ACQUIRED: Drafted in the 3rd round of the 1984 USFL open draft by the Chicago Blitz (44th pick overall).

COLLEGIATE: Concensus All-Big Eight pick. . .played best game of career versus Brigham Young in 21-17 loss at Holiday Bowl. . .tallied six solos and two assists against the Cougars. . .sacked All-American QB Steve Young four times in the contest, including the first play of the game. . .had two passes broken-up. . .named Defensive Player-of-the-Game. . .owns 37-inch vertical jump. . .had 126 career total tackles. . .26 tackles for losses for 150 yards during career. . .long-snapper on punts and PATs. . .against Illinois in 28-18 win, Bell was in for 98 plays during long hot afternoon. . .selected to play in the Hula Bowl. . .son of Bobby Bell, ex-Minnesota All-American and pro football Hall of Famer following his long illustrious career with Kansas City Chiefs. . .majoring in food service and lodging management. . .hails from Lee's Summit, Mo.

TRON ARMSTRONG | **WIDE RECEIVER** | **EASTERN KENTUCKY**
HT: 6-0 | **WT: 196** | **BORN: 8/18/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: Drafted in the 3rd round of the 1984 USFL open draft by the Chicago Blitz (49th pick overall).

COLLEGIATE: Two-time All-Ohio Valley Conference pick for perennial 1-AA power Eastern Kentucky. . .two-time honorable mention All-American pick by AP and also selected twice to *The Sporting News* pre-season All-America squad. . .caught 25 passes as a senior after being converted from tight end. . .averaged 19.6 yards per catch for 491 yards and three TDs in '83. . .caught a 39-yarder for a score versus Middle Tennessee State in '83. . .caught 91 passes for 1,413 yards and seven TDs during four-year career. . .four-year starter. . .led Eastern to a 42-8-1 record during career. . .EKU won the 1982 1-AA football title with a perfect 13-0 slate after being runners-up the previous two years. . .posted a 7-3-1 record in '83 losing in the first round of the playoffs. . .majoring in electronics. . .good blocker. . .hails from St. Petersburg, Fla.

JAMES KING | **OFFENSIVE TACKLE** | **WESTERN KENTUCKY**
HT: 6-5 | **WT: 263** | **AGE: 22**

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in the 4th round of the 1984 USFL open draft by the Chicago Blitz (82nd pick overall).

COLLEGIATE: Three-year starter on the offensive line. . .switched to tackle after beginning collegiate career at offensive guard. . .good blocker. . .played tight end at Bolingbrook (Ill) HS. . .versatile athlete. . .stellar basketball player at Bolingbrook HS. . .attended the same college as Blitz cornerback Virgil Livers. . .lives in Bolingbrook, IL.

MEL GRAY | **RUNNING BACK/KICK RETURNER** | **PURDUE**
HT: 5-9 | **WT: 166** | **BORN: 3/6/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in the 7th round of the 1984 USFL open draft by the Chicago Blitz (133rd pick overall).

COLLEGIATE: Considered by many experts to be a sleeper in the draft. . .one of the top backs in the Big Ten. . .two-year starter at Purdue. . .rushed for 849 yards and nine TDs as a senior. . .averaged 4.5 yards per carry. . .versatile back with good hands. . .came out of the backfield to catch 15 passes for 138 yards and one TD in '83. . .rushed for a season-best 176 yards on 36 carries in Purdue's one point win at Indiana. . .named AP Midwest Offensive Player-of-the-Week for his effort against Indiana. . .scored three TDs rushing and one passing in win at Minnesota. . .owner of six career 100 yard games. . .in two-year career at Purdue rushed for over 1,700 yards and scored 15 TDs. . .career-best against Northwestern in '82 with 192 yards on the ground. . .romped for an 80-yarder against Wisconsin as a junior. . .transferred from Coffeyville (KS) JC. . .played in same backfield with Heisman Trophy Winner Mike Rozier at Coffeyville JC. . .majoring in communications. . .lives in Williamsburg, Va.

DONNELL DANIEL | **DEFENSIVE BACK** | **SOUTHERN ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-0 | **WT: 190** | **BORN: 2/26/82**

HOW ACQUIRED: Selected in the 8th round of the 1984 USFL open draft by the Chicago Blitz (152nd pick overall).

COLLEGIATE: Named Missouri Valley Conference Defensive Player of the Year after a stellar senior season. .picked-off seven passes for 132 return yards in '83. . .returned three interceptions for scores. . .also exceptional punt returner. . .led the squad in punt returns with 28 for an 8.4 average. . .returned an 85-yarder for a score versus New Mexico State. . .terrific cover man and one-on-one tackler. . .tipped a pair of passes that led to interceptions and scores in the title rout of Western Carolina. . .had four interceptions in '82. . .two-year starter. . .according to former SIU Head Coach Rey Dempsey, "Pro scouts have told us our backfield is as strong as any in the Southeastern Conference". . .member of one of the finest defensive backfields in the nation. . .transferred from Ft. Scott Community College in Ft. Scott, KS. . .won all-conference honors both years at Ft. Scott CC. . .majoring in business. . .native of Elgin, Ill.

PAUL McFADDEN | **KICKER** | **YOUNGSTOWN STATE**
HT: 5-10 | **WT: 155** | **BORN: 9/24/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: Drafted in the 9th round of the 1984 USFL open draft by the Chicago Blitz (175th pick overall).

COLLEGIATE: Holds career records in field goal attempts (90), and field goals (52). . .holds record for most field goals in a season (17) '82. . .kicked a record 4 field goals in a game several times. . .in '82 led the team in scoring with 72 points. . .became the all-time kick-scoring record holder with 240 points. . .made 28 of 28 PAT's in '83. . .set Youngstown State and Mid-Continental Conference records with a 54-yard field goal in first collegiate field goal attempt. . .majoring in business adminstration. . .resides in Euclid, Ohio.

DEAN MAY **QUARTERBACK** **LOUISVILLE**
HT: 6-5 **WT: 220** **BORN: 5/26/62**

HOW ACQUIRED: Drafted in the 9th round of the 1984 USFL open draft by the Chicago Blitz (176th pick overall).

COLLEGIATE: Set U of L records for most yards in a season (2,034) in '82 and for touchdown passes in a season (17). . .completed 52.9% of his passes in '83 (139 of 263). . .career stats include 328 of 702 for 4,359 yards and 29 TDs. . .honorable All-American Honors by AP in '83. . .hails from Tampa, Fla.

MICHAEL BOURGEAU **DEFENSIVE TACKLE** **BOISE STATE**
HT: 6-5 **WT: 265** **BORN: 6/28/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: Drafted in the 11th round of the 1984 USFL open draft by the Chicago Blitz (220th pick overall).

COLLEGIATE: Earned First Team All-Big Sky and second-team All-American in '83. . .although he played in only 7 games in '81 due to a knee injury, he still made first team All-Big Sky and honorable mention All-American (AP). . .led the team in sacks with 8 for 55 yards. . .voted team's most valuable freshman in '80. . .resides in Montreal, Canada.

RANDY RASMUSSEN **CENTER** **MINNESOTA**
HT: 6-2 **WT: 260** **BORN: 9/27/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: Drafted in the 12th round of the 1984 USFL open draft (244th pick overall).

COLLEGIATE: Four-year starter at Minnesota. . .as a freshman he started at center, then moved to guard and started for the next two seasons. . .moved back to center for senior season. . .extremely hard worker. . .can bench press over 450 lbs., squat 560 lbs., and clean 375 lbs. . .captained the squad as a senior. . .named second-team All-Big Ten as a guard in '82. . .honorable mention All-Big Ten as a senior. . .majoring in business and marketing. . .lives in Brighton, MN.

1984 TERRITORIAL SELECTIONS

CARL AIKENS | **WIDE RECEIVER** | **NORTHERN ILLINOIS**
HT: 5-11 | **WT: 176** | **AGE: 21**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection.

COLLEGIATE: Hard-working speedster named Most Improved Senior for NIU after 10-2 senior season. . .ranked second on the squad in receptions with 23 for 476 yards and 2 TDs. . .averaged an impressive 20.4 yards per catch. . .connected with QB Tim Tyrell for a 57-yarder against Western Michigan. . .registered 4 catches for more than 45 yards in '83. . .notched a career-high seven receptions for 122 yards vs Kent State. . .caught eight passes for 103 yards in '81. . .two-year letterman ('81 & '83). . .lives in Chicago, IL.

GREG BELL | **RUNNING BACK** | **NOTRE DAME**
HT: 6-0 | **WT: 210** | **BORN: 8/1/62**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection.

COLLEGIATE: Injury-plagued career at Notre Dame. . .rushed for 169 yards on 37 carries in '83. . .also caught six passes for 65 yards and one TD as a senior. . .scored four TDs in 52-6 early season rout of Purdue. . .gained 114 yards on the ground in 28-23 upset loss to Michigan State. . .sat out six games of '83 campaign with ankle injury. . .broke right fibula in second game of 1982 season versus Purdue. . .quick back with tremendous acceleration. . .career rushing statistics include 870 yards on 158 attempts and 10 TDs. . .good hands. . .came out of the backfield to catch 20 passes for 220 yards and one TD during career at ND. . .best season was in '81 when Bell rushed for 512 yards and four TDs. . .second best total on the squad behind Blitz territorial pick ('83) Phil Carter. . .shared wingback duties later half of '81 and most of the '82 season. . .in '81 topped century mark in rushing twice, running for 165 yards and two scores versus Michigan State and 120 yards and a score against Florida State. . .named second-team All-American choice of the *Football News* All-America squad. . .logged a 98-yard kickoff return in '81 versus Miami (Fla.). . .led Irish kickoff returners with 28.5 average that was best by a Notre Dame player in 13 years. . earned two monograms competing for Irish track squad. . .broke an Irish indoor season standard in the long jump by jumping 24-6. . .enrolled in College of Arts and Letters, major in economics. . .lives in Columbus, OH.

DWIGHT BEVERLY | **RUNNING BACK** | **ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-0 | **WT: 200** | **BORN: 12/5/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection

COLLEGIATE: Concensus All-Big Ten selection. . .received honorable mention All-American kudos from AP. . .selected to play in the Hula Bowl. . .gained 722 yards rushing during regular season. . .also rushed for 22 yards on four carries in Rose Bowl loss to UCLA. . .tallied eight TDs on the ground in '83. . .gained 179 yards rushing in 35-21 win at Purdue. . .rushed for 116 yards in 17-7 win versus Stanford. . .received Big Ten Player-of-the-Week honors for effort against Purdue. . .career rushing total includes 1,112 yards on 231 carries. . .has nose for end zone. . .lives in Long Beach, Calif.

SCOTT BOLZAN | **OFFENSIVE TACKLE** | **NORTHERN ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-4 | **WT: 273** | **AGE: 23**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection

COLLEGIATE: Unanimous All-MAC pick after a banner senior season. . .helped led NIU to its first bowl game in 18 years as the Huskies defeated Fullerton State 20-13 in the California Bowl. . .NIU won the MAC title with a sparkling 8-1 record and finished off the season with a 10-2 mark. . .the 10 wins were the most since the Huskies posted an unblemished 10-0 mark in 1963. . .husky lineman received honorable mention All-American honors from AP. . .tri-captain of the squad as a senior. . .named all-conference as a junior. . .started 32 of the last 33 games for NIU. . .four-year letterman. . .impresses pro scouts with consistency and mobility. . .saw action in six games as a freshman. . .bench presses in excess of 350 pounds. . .lives in Calumet City, IL.

ED BRADY | **LINEBACKER** | **ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-2 | **WT: 210** | **BORN: 6/17/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection.

COLLEGIATE: Aggressive defender saw action as a starting linebacker on the Big Ten champs Illinois squad. . .registered 27 solos and 17 assists in the regular season. . .excels on special teams. . .saw action as a reserve linebacker in '81 and '82. . .notched an interception in '83 to go along with four sacks for 29 yards. . .notched 25 solos and six assists in '82. . .hard hitter. . .majoring in education. . .lives in Morris, IL.

TIM BREWSTER | **TIGHT END** | **ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-4 | **WT: 220** | **BORN: 10/13/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection.

COLLEGIATE: Named second-team All-Big Ten in '83 by *Chicago Tribune*. . .finished season with 64 receptions, including five in 45-9 loss to UCLA in the Rose Bowl. . .broke Illini standard for receptions by a tight end with 64 for 688 yards and two TDs. . .second in the loop in receptions with 59. . .caught a pair of TD passes in Northwestern game which were first scores of career. . .set school record in '82 for receptions by a tight end (46). . .among nation's leading pass receivers. . .caught eight passes for 154 yards versus Wisconsin in '82. . .works over the middle extremely well. . .hard worker. . .honorable mention all-conference at Pasadena JC in '80. . .hopes to pursue a career in coaching after school. . .caught 114 passes in two-year career. . .lives in Phillipsburg, N.J.

MITCHELL BROOKINS | **WIDE RECEIVER** | **ILLINOIS**
HT: 5-11 | **WT: 190** | **BORN: 12/10/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection

COLLEGIATE: Converted running back. . .big-play receiver caught 22 passes for 478 yards and five TDs during regular season. . .averaged an impressive 21.7 yards per reception in '83. . .caught a 54-yard TD pass in Illinois' 33-0 rout of Iowa. . .clutch player. . .on receiving end of 72 yard bomb in win versus Wisconsin. . .speedster runs a 4.3 40-yard dash. . .led Illini with 10 TDs in '82. . .twice during career scored three TDs in a game (Northwestern and Indiana). . .rushed for 180 yards against Northwestern in '79 to earn Big Ten Offensive Player-of-the-Week honor's. . .red-shirted in '81 due to a shoulder injury. . .career rushing totals include 397 yards and eight TDs. . . enrolled in College of Commerce. . .lives in Chicago.

MARK BUTKUS | **DEFENSIVE TACKLE** | **ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-4 | **WT: 260** | **BORN: 12/3/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection

COLLEGIATE: Concensus All-Big Ten selection. . .honorable-mention All-American pick by AP. . .teamed with Don Thorp to form one of the finest defensive tackle combinations in the nation. . .registered 28 solo tackles and 31 assists in '83. . .tallied six tackle for losses for 35 yards and five sacks. . .four-year starter. . .second-team all-league in '81. . .led defense in tackles as a junior (47). . .owner of 28 tackles for losses. . .extremely tough against the run. . .hard worker. . .enrolled in Applied College of Life Studies. . .lives in Lansing, IL.

ARCHIE CARTER | **LINEBACKER** | **ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-2 | **WT: 210** | **BORN: 9/15/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection

COLLEGIATE: Tremendous athlete. . .starting linebacker on one of the stingiest defenses in the nation. . .hard hitter. . .registered 23 solos and 33 assists during regular season. . .also tallied six tackles for losses for 34 yards and four sacks for 41 yards. . .has been timed at 4.5 in the 40 yard dash. . .made 18 solo stops in '82. . .red-shirted in '81. . .enrolled in Fine and Applied Arts. . .lives in Los Angeles, CA.

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RICKY EDWARDS **RUNNING BACK** **NORTHWESTERN**
HT: 5-10 **WT: 178** **BORN: 2/9/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection.

COLLEGIATE: Versatile back finished second in the nation in receiving with 83 receptions for 570 yards. . .named second-team All-Big Ten by AP in '83. . .gained a conference high 193 yards rushing in Wildcats' 10-8 win at Indiana. . .caught a league-high 11 passes in 61-21 loss to Gator Bowl-bound Iowa. . .picked to play in the Blue/Gray Classic. . .set Big Ten mark (conference games only) with 68 receptions as a senior. . .career statistics include 140 receptions for 1,050 yards and two TDs. . .returned a kickoff 79 yards for a score in 19-8 win against Minnesota. . .140 career receptions tied Edwards for 6th-place on Big Ten all-time receiving list (with Purdue's Bart Burrell). . .rushed for 177 yards on 29 carries and scored four TDs in win versus Northern Illinois in '82. . .fifth-year senior led 'Cats in receiving as a junior. . .scored four TDs agaist Northern Illinois to tie a Northwestern school record. . .long-jumped 24'¼" for 'Cats track team during career. . .majoring in sociology. . .lives in White Plains, NY.

CLINTON HAYNES **LINEBACKER** **ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-3 **WT: 230** **BORN: 4/8/61**

COLLEGIATE: Steady hard-working defender. . .honorable mention All-Big Ten selection. . .had 48 total tackles in '83 regular season. . .also notched two tackles for losses for five yards and one interception. . .third on the team in tackles in '82 with 52. . .broke six passes as junior. . .had eight tackles in Liberty Bowl. . .lives in Gardena, CA.

MIKE JOHNSON **DEFENSIVE END** **ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-4 **WT: 235** **BORN: 4/24/62**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection.

COLLEGIATE: Situation player for the Illini the past two years. . .had 41 tackles in '83. . .heady player. . .notched nine tackles in the Liberty Bowl, ½ the amount he had the whole '82 season. . .determined player. . .had eight sacks for 19 yards. . .enrolled in the College of Applied Life Studies. . .lives in Chicago.

JOHN KIDD | **PUNTER** | **NORTHWESTERN**
HT: 6-4 | **WT: 202** | **BORN: 8/22/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection.

COLLEGIATE: Concensus All-Big Ten pick as a senior after averaging 41.9 yards kick as a senior. . .was named first-team All-Big Ten by the *Chicago Tribune* as a junior and second-team by both wire services in '82. . .picked to play in the Senior Bowl. . .averaged 45.6 yards per punt as a junior. . .ranked fifth nationally in '82. . .was the first Big Ten punter to exceed 10,000 yards punting in a career. . .booted a 67-yarder in the 'Cats 10-8 win at Indiana. . .41.6 career average is tied for fifth-place (with Ohio State's Tom Orosz) in the conference's all-time punting list. . .holds all NU punting records except most punts in a game. . .career-long 75-yard punt versus Wisconsin as a junior. . .named honorable mention all-conference as a freshman and sophomore. . .majoring in engineering. . .lives in Findlay, OH.

BLAIR KIEL | **QUARTERBACK/PUNTER** | **NOTRE DAME**
HT: 6-1 | **WT: 206** | **BORN: 11/29/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection.

COLLEGIATE: Received the starting call from Head Coach Gerry Faust in 26 of the last 34 games ND has played. . .led ND to a 19-18 victory in the Liberty Bowl over Boston College. . .four-year letterman completed 11 of 19 passes for 151 yards and one score in the ice at Memphis, Tenn. . .lost starting position to freshman Steve Beurlein after third game of the season. . .holds Irish records for most career pass attempts (604) and career punting average (40.67). . .297 career completions ranks second behind Terry Hanratty (304). . .3,650 passing yards ranks fourth on the ND career list. . .career passing marks include: 609 attempts, 297 completions, 3,650 yards, 32 interceptions, 17 TDs. . .completed 118 of 219 passes in '82, the fourth-best single season completion total in Irish annals. . .punted for a career-low 39.6 average for '83 season compared to a 42.4 average in '82. . .completed 15 of 22 tosses for 141 yards and no interceptions in '82 opener against Michigan. . .earned ABC Sports' MVP award for that performance. . .enrolled in College of Business Administration. . .married to former Melissa Libke of Columbus, IN.

NEIL MAUNE **OFFENSIVE GUARD** **NOTRE DAME**
HT: 6-5 **WT: 278** **BORN: 11/4/60**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection.

COLLEGIATE: Consistent performer. . .two-year starter for Notre Dame at strong guard. . .member of Irish offensive squad that ranked in the Top 20 nationally in rushing. . .fifth-year senior set out most of '79 and entire '80 season due to shoulder injury. . .began as defensive lineman but switched in spring of '81. . .hard-working aggressive blocker. . .majoring in government. . .lives in Marthasville, MO.

MIKE SHINER **OFFENSIVE TACKLE** **NOTRE DAME**
HT: 6-8 **WT: 289** **BORN: 1/27/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection.

COLLEGIATE: Injury-plagued career. . .mammoth physical specimen is quick tackle in Notre Dame offensive scheme. . .fifth-year senior. . .played for Irish in Liberty Bowl. . .teamed with Dallas Cowboys starter Phil Pozderac (6-9) to form one of the tallest offensive sides in collegiate history. . .good drive blocker. . .majoring in economics. . .lives in Sunnyvale, Calif.

DON THORP **DEFENSIVE TACKLE** **ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-4 **WT: 250** **BORN: 7/10/62**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection.

COLLEGIATE: Named Big Ten's Player-of-the-Year by UPI in '83. . .recipient of the coveted *Chicago Tribune's* Silver Football Award symbolic of the Big Ten's MVP. . .concensus all-league pick as a senior. . .third-team All-American by AP. . .second in the conference in tackles for losses with 12 for 71 yards. . .good quickness and tremendous hands. . .tallied 77 total tackles as a senior leading Illinois to its first Rose Bowl in 20 years. . .had seven regular season sacks for 55 yards. . .also blocked two passes. . .bulked up from 210 pounds as freshman. . .mainstay of Illini defense ranked second nationally against the rush. . .named to East Squad for the Hula Bowl. . .registered 17 tackles for losses during regular season. . .first-team All-American pick by *The Sporting News*. . .second-team All-American according to UPI. . .majoring in business law. . .lives in Arlington Heights, IL

STACEY TORAN | **CORNERBACK** | **NOTRE DAME**
HT: 6-4 | **WT: 206** | **BORN: 11/10/61**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection.

COLLEGIATE: Defensive co-captain for the '83 season . . . played the whole season with fractured wrist . . . has six career interceptions . . . four-year starter . . . honorable mention All-American pick by *The Sporting News* in '82 . . . named to sophomore All-America team by *Football News* . . . all-around athlete with tremendous size and head for the game . . . finished third in '82 in tackles with 77 stops . . . named to freshman All-America team by *Football News* . . . majoring in finance. . .lives in Indianapolis, IN.

TIM TYRELL | **QUARTERBACK** | **NORTHERN ILLINOIS**
HT: 6-0 | **WT: 194** | **AGE: 22**

HOW ACQUIRED: 1984 Territorial Selection.

COLLEGIATE: Awarded the Jefferson Trophy at the end of the season after being named the MAC's Most Valuable Player. . .Michigan Panthers linebacker Ray Bentley was the recipient of the award last year. . .also named second-team All-Mac and NIU MVP in '83. . .named Mac Player-of-the-Week after completing 9 of 13 passes for 226 yards in a victory against Western Michigan. . .option-style signal-caller equally adept at running or passing. . .rushed for 539 yards on 166 carries and scored 7 TDs. . .scampered for a 43-yarder vs Bowling Green. . .NIU was down 20-0 at half-time against Bowling Green before Tyrell led a valiant second half comeback. . .hard-nosed performer rushed for a game-high 147 yards and scored 2 TDs against the Falcons. . .completed 91 of 189 passes for 1,260 yards and 8TDs. . .completed a 57-yard strike to Carl Aikens vs Western Michigan. . .during the course of the season had a streak of 150 consecutive passes without an interception. . .finished season 6th in MAC in passing, 9th in rushing and 6th in total offense. . .finished junior season 9th in the conference in passing. . .completed 38 of 93 for 458 yards and 2 TDs in '82. . .rushed for 474 yards and 2 TDs as a junior. . .lives in Hoffman Estates, IL.

1984 CHICAGO BLITZ

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Exp.	College
81	Marcus Anderson	WR	5-11	170	24	2	Tulane
31	Charles Armstead	CB	5-10	164	22	R	Illinois
32	Harold Blue	RB	6-0	191	23	1	East Carolina
21	Trent Bryant	CB	5-10	180	24	3	Arkansas
35	Larry Canada	FB	6-1	240	29	4	Wisconsin
74	Ray Cattage	DE	6-3	258	23	1	Washington
34	Darryl Clark	FB	5-11	203	22	1	Texas
72	Terry Crouch	OG	6-2	280	24	1	Oklahoma
22	Donnell Daniel	SS	6-0	186	22	R	Southern Illinois
85	Phil Denfeld	TE	6-5	230	22	1	Wake Forest
78	Jerry Doerger	OT	6-5	270	23	1	Wisconsin
44	Roy Eppes	FS	6-0	194	29	1	Clemson
8	Vince Evans	QB	6-2	211	28	7	Southern California
76	Terry Falcon	OT	6-3	267	28	4	Montana
5	Vagas Ferguson	RB	6-0	206	27	4	Notre Dame
50	Mark Fischer	C	6-4	250	23	R	Notre Dame
60	Robin Fisher	MLB	6-1	234	24	1	Florida
40	Jackie Flowers	WR	6-1	192	25	1	Florida State
33	Glen Ford	RB	6-1	200	23	1	Lenoir-Rhyne
62	John Gillen	MLB	6-3	230	25	2	Illinois
80	Brian Glasgow	TE	6-4	231	22	R	Northern Illinois
7	Jeff Gossett	P	6-2	204	27	3	Eastern Illinois
89	Kris Haines	WR	5-11	180	26	4	Notre Dame
27	Ron Harris	CB	5-9	182	22	1	Georgia
67	Perry Hartnett	DG	6-5	276	23	1	SMU
59	Clinton Haynes	OLB	6-3	221	22	R	Illinois
1	Efren Herrera	PK	5-9	190	32	8	UCLA

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Exp.	College
71	Doug Hoppock	OT	6-4	265	24	1	Kansas State
65	Glenn Hyde	OG	6-3	259	32	10	Pittsburgh
77	Dan Jiggetts	OT	6-5	293	29	8	Harvard
66	Randy Jostes	DT	6-5	264	22	1	Missouri
83	Mark Keel	TE	6-4	228	22	1	Arizona
53	Jon Kimmel	OLB	6-4	247	23	1	Colgate
15	Tim Koegel	QB	6-4	199	25	1	Notre Dame
86	Gary Lewis	FL	6-5	227	25	3	Texas-Arlington
24	Virgil Livers	CB	5-9	182	31	6	Western Kentucky
57	James Looney	MLB	5-11	227	26	2	Purdue
90	Keith MaGee	WR	5-11	161	23	R	New Mexico
75	Mike Morgan	DT	6-4	262	23	1	BYU
55	Sam Norris	OLB	6-3	223	24	1	East Carolina
46	Doug Plank	FS	6-0	203	31	8	Ohio State
14	Dennis Shaw	QB	6-3	212	37	8	San Diego State
73	Bob Simmons	OG	6-4	261	30	7	Texas
28	Mike Spivey	SS	6-0	195	30	6	Colorado
37	Jim Stone	FB	6-1	212	25	1	Notre Dame
63	Vince Stroth	OT	6-3	256	23	1	BYU
70	Malcolm Taylor	DT	6-6	284	23	2	Tennessee State
79	Bruce Thornton	DE	6-6	279	26	4	Illinois
42	Eddie Ray Walker	CB	6-0	169	23	1	Southern Mississippi
61	Rod Walters	OG	6-3	257	30	4	Iowa
68	Mike Weston	C/OG	6-2	259	24	1	Adrian
64	Larry White	DT	6-3	275	24	1	Jackson State
26	Tommy Wilcox	FS	5-11	191	24	1	Alabama

CHICAGO BLITZ NUMERICAL ROSTER

1	Efren Herrera	PK
5	Vagas Ferguson	RB
7	Jeff Gossett	P
8	Vince Evans	QB
14	Dennis Shaw	QB
15	Tim Koegel	QB
21	Trent Bryant	CB
22	Donnell Daniel	SS
24	Virgil Livers	CB
26	Tommy Wilcox	FS
27	Ron Harris	CB
28	Mike Spivey	SS
31	Charles Armstead	CB
32	Harold Blue	RB
33	Glen Ford	RB
34	Darryl Clark	FB
35	Larry Canada	FB
37	Jim Stone	FB
40	Jackie Flowers	WR
42	Eddie Ray Walker	CB
44	Roy Eppes	FS
46	Doug Plank	FS
50	Mark Fischer	OC
53	Jon Kimmel	OLB
55	Sam Norris	OLB
57	James Looney	MLB
59	Clinton Haynes	OLB
60	Robin Fisher	MLB
61	Rod Walters	OG
62	John Gillen	MLB
63	Vince Stroth	OT
64	Larry White	DT
65	Glenn Hyde	OG
66	Randy Jostes	DT
67	Perry Hartnett	OG
68	Mike Weston	C/OG
70	Malcolm Taylor	DT
71	Doug Hoppock	DE
72	Terry Crouch	OG
73	Bob Simmons	OG
74	Ray Cattage	DE
75	Mike Morgan	DT
76	Terry Falcon	OT
77	Dan Jiggets	OT
78	Jerry Doerger	OT
79	Bruce Thornton	DE
80	Brian Glasgow	TE
81	Marcus Anderson	FL
83	Mark Keel	TE
85	Phil Denfeld	TE
86	Gary Lewis	FL
89	Kris Haines	WR
90	Keith MaGee	WR

HOW YOU SAY THEM

Coaches
Levy-LEE-vee
Armey-ARMY
Dovell-DŌV-ell
Huard-HEW-ard

Players
Doerger-DUR-ger
Eppes-Epps
Falcon-FAL-kon
Jostes-JOS-tis
Koegel-KAY-gel
Livers-LY-vers
Spivey-SPY-vee
Stroth-Strŏth
Vagas-VAY-gas

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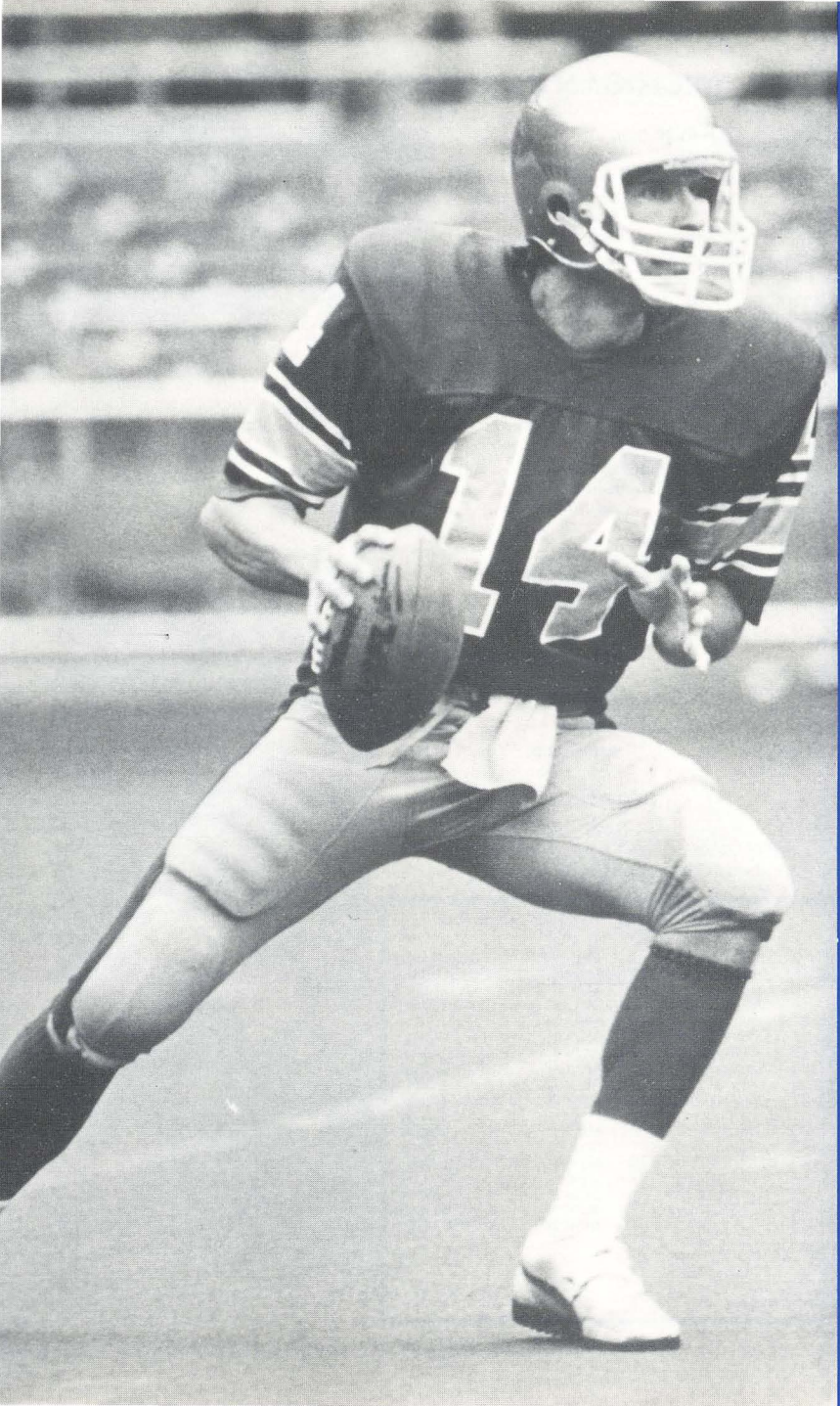


OPPONENTS

MICHIGAN PANTHERS—GAME 1 & 18

February 27 at Michigan,
June 24 at Chicago
Office.....575 Woodward St.
Rochester, MI 48063
Owner.....A. Alfred Taubman
General Manager....Vincent H. Lombardi
Public Relations.....Ken Hoffman
Office.....(313) 652-8300
Colors.....Blue, Champagne, and Plum
Stadium.....Silver Dome (80,638)
Astro Turf

A. Alfred Taubman Jim Stanley

1983 RECORD—WON 14, LOST 6; SERIES RECORD—CHICAGO 0, MICHIGAN 2
Head Coach—Jim Stanley (2nd Season, 14-6; 35-31-2, in 6 years) Assistant Coaches—Larry Coyer, Linebacker; George Dickson, Offensive Backs; Bob Leahy, Receivers; Dick Roach, Defensive Backs; Pete Rodriguez, Defensive Line; Kent Stephenson, Offensive Line; Mike Long, Special Teams
Director of Football Operations.....Mike Keller
Director of College Scouting.....Bill Baker
Territorial Schools....Central Michigan, Eastern Michigan, Western Michigan, Michigan, Michigan State

1983 TEAM LEADERS

RUSHING

	Car.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Ken Lacy.....	232	1,180	5.1	6
John Williams ..	153	624	4.1	12

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	TD
Bobby Hebert ..	451	257	3,568	27

RECEIVING

	Rec.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Mike Cobb.....	61	746	12.2	5
Anthony Carter .	60	1,181	19.7	9

1983 RESULTS (14-6)			1984 SCHEDULE
9	at Birmingham	7	**FEB. 27.....CHICAGO**
7	at Tampa Bay	19	March 3....PITTSBURGH
27	Oakland	33	March 11.....at Denver
16	at Washington	22 (OT)	March 18.....ARIZONA
21	Denver	29	March 26.....at Houston
21	at New Jersey	6	April 1....SAN ANTONIO
17	**CHICAGO**	**12**	April 7.....at Oklahoma
34	Los Angeles	24	April 15...BIRMINGHAM
28	at Boston	24	April 23.....TAMPA BAY
21	at Arizona	10	April 29....at New Jersey
31	New Jersey	24	May 6.....HOUSTON
20	Birmingham	23 (OT)	May 13...at New Orleans
43	Tampa Bay	7	May 20...at Los Angeles
20	at Philadelphia	29	May 27...PHILADELPHIA
42	at Los Angeles	17	June 2....at San Antonio
27	Washington	25	June 9.....at Oakland
34	**AT CHICAGO**	**19**	June 18....OKLAHOMA
33	Arizona	7	**June 24....AT CHICAGO**
*37	Oakland	21	
#*24	Philadelphia (at Denver)	22	

*Playoff
#Championship

MEMPHIS SHOWBOATS—GAME 2

March 4 at Memphis

Office....2670 Union Ave. Ext., Suite 600
Memphis, TN 38112
Owner.....Logan Young, Jr.
General Manager.....Charles J. Thornton
Public Relations.....Rudi Schiffer
Office.....(901) 452-8400
Colors.....Scarlet and Silver
Stadium.....Liberty Bowl (50,180)
Natural Grass

Logan Young, Jr.

Pepper Rodgers

Head Coach—Pepper Rodgers (1st season; 73-65-3 in 13 years) Assistant Coaches—Doug Knotts, Defensive Coordinator; Bill Oliver, Defensive Backs, Ernie Zwahlen, Offensive Line; Chuck Dikerson, Defensive Line; Jimmy Scharpe, Running Backs; Jimmy Robinson, Receivers.
Director of Player Personnel.....Chuck Dickerson
Territorial Schools.....Memphis State, Middle Tennesee State, Tennessee, Tennessee State, and Vanderbilt

1984 SCHEDULE

Feb. 26.....PHILA.	April 27....PITTSBURGH
March 4.....CHICAGO	May 6.....at Washington
March 11 .at New Orleans	May 11 ...SAN ANTONIO
March 17 ..at Birmingham	May 19.....at Oakland
March 25.....DENVER	May 25.....TAMPA BAY
March 31 JACKSONVILLE	June 1...NEW ORLEANS
April 8.....at New Jersey	June 9.....at Tampa Bay
April 14....at Los Angeles	June 16...BIRMINGHAM
April 20....at Jacksonville	June 25.....at Houston

HOUSTON GAMBLERS—GAME 3 & 16

March 11 at Chicago,
June 10 in Houston

Jerry A. Argovitz Jack Pardee

Office.....4828 Loop Central Drive #400
Houston, TX 77081
Owner.....Jerry A. Argovitz
General Manager.....Gene Burrough
Public Relations.....D.J. Mackovets
Office.....(713) 660-6000
Colors.....Black, Gambler Red, Gray and Yellow
Stadium.....Astrodome (50,495)
Astro Turf

Head Coach—Jack Pardee (1st season; 58-52 in 12 years) Assistant Coaches—Darrel Davis, Offensive Coordinator; Bob Young, Offensive Line; June Jones, Receivers; Jim Eddy, Defensive Coordinator; Ray Alborn, Defensive Line; Pat Thomas, Defensive Backs
Director of Player Personel.....Bill Groman
Territorial Schools.....Houston, Rice, Texas Southern, Texas A & I, Texas A & M

1984 SCHEDULE

Feb. 26....at Tampa Bay	April 30...LOS ANGELES
March 5...at San Antonio	May 6.....at Michigan
MARCH 11. AT CHICAGO	May 12.....at Pittsburgh
March 18...NEW JERSEY	May 20.....OKLAHOMA
March 26.....MICHIGAN	May 25....at Jacksonville
March 31....at Oklahoma	June 3.....at Denver
April 9....WASHINGTON	**June 10.....CHICAGO**
April 16.....at Oakland	June 18...SAN ANTONIO
April 21.....ARIZONA	June 25.....MEMPHIS

OKLAHOMA OUTLAWS—GAME 4 & 15

March 17 at Chicago,
June 2 at Oklahoma

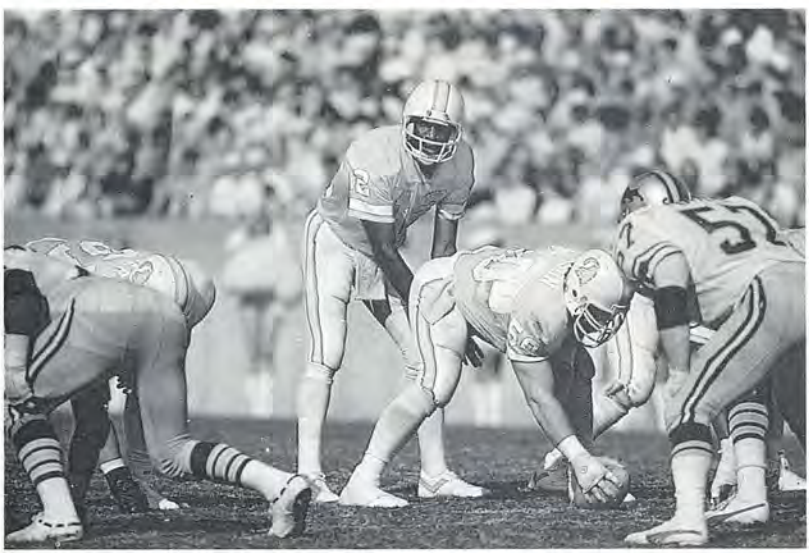
Office.....6350 South Utica
Tulsa, OK 74136
Owners.....William Tatham, Sr. and
William R. Tatham, Jr.
General Manager...William R. Tatham, Jr.
Public Relations.....Gil Swalls
Office.....(918) 747-2400
Colors.....Black, Red and White
Stadium.....Skelly Stadium (40,235)
Tartan Turf

Bill Tatham, Jr. Woody Widenhofer

Head Coach—Woody Widenhofer (1st season) Assistant Coaches—Ed Chlebek, Offensive Coordinator; Jim Johnson, Defensive Coordinator; Jim McKinley, Linebackers; Frank Novak, Running Backs; Charlie Butler, Offensive Line; Ralph Staub, Defensive Line; Wright Anderson, Receivers and Special Teams; Bert Jacobson, Strength and Conditioning
Director of Player Personnel.....Bruce Kebric
Territorial Schools..Langston State, Oklahoma, Oklahoma State, Tulsa and Wichta State

1984 SCHEDULE

Feb. 26....PITTSBURGH	April 27..JACKSONVILLE
March 3.....DENVER	May 6.....at New Jersey
March 11..SAN ANTONIO	May 14.....at Tampa Bay
MARCH 17.AT CHICAGO	May 20.....at Houston
March 24.....at Arizona	May 26.....OAKLAND
March 31.....HOUSTON	**JUNE 2.....CHICAGO**
April 7.....MICHIGAN	June 10..LOS ANGELES
April 14....at Washington	June 18.....at Michigan
April 20....at Birmingham	June 24...at San Antonio



NEW ORLEANS BREAKERS—GAME 5

March 25 at New Orleans

Office.....Louisiana Superdome
Sugar Bowl Drive
New Orleans, LA 70112
Owner.....Joseph C. Canizaro
General Manager.....Randle E. Vataha
Public Relations.....Paul Manasseh
Office.....(504) 587-3141
Colors.....Breaker Blue, Royal Blue and Silver
Stadium.....Superdome (69,658)
Astro Turf

Joseph C. Canizaro

Dick Coury

1983 RECORD—WON 11, LOST 7; SERIES RECORD—CHICAGO 0, NEW ORLEANS 1
Head Coach—Dick Coury (2nd season, 11-7) Assistant Coaches—Bill Redell, Running Backs; Doug Kay, Defensive Coordinator; Keith Rowen, Offensive Coordinator; Curtis Jones, Defensive Line; Bob Shaw, Linebackers; Steve Coury, Receivers; John North, Quarterbacks; Frank Bean, Special Teams; Rick Italiano, Strength
Director of Player Personnel.....Howard White
Territorial School.....Grambling, Louisiana State, Southern University, Southern Mississippi and Tulane

1983 RESULTS (11-7)

17	at Tampa Bay	21
21	at Denver	7
19	Washington	16
31	at New Jersey	21
27	Birmingham	16
7	Oakland	26
44	at Arizona	23
16	at Philadelphia	23
24	Michigan	26
20	at Los Angeles	23
17	Denver	9
21	at Washington	14
21	Philadelphia	17
21	**CHICAGO**	**15**
19	at Birmingham	31
24	Tampa Bay	17
16	at Oakland	17
34	New Jersey	10

1984 SCHEDULE

Feb. 26....at San Antonio
March 4.....at Oakland
March 11.....MEMPHIS
March 19..at Jacksonville
MARCH 25....CHICAGO
April 2.....at Birmingham
April 8.....PITTSBURGH
April 16.....TAMPA BAY
April 22.....DENVER
April 27....at Philadelphia
May 7.....ARIZONA
May 13.....MICHIGAN
May 20.....at Tampa Bay
May 27....BIRMINGHAM
June 1.....at Memphis
June 8.....at New Jersey
June 15..JACKSONVILLE
June 23....at Washington

1983 TEAM LEADERS

RUSHING

	Car.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Richard Crump	190	990	5.2	4
Charles Smith	139	443	3.2	5

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	TD
Johnnie Walton	589	330	3,772	20

RECEIVING

	Rec.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Nolan Franz	62	848	13.7	4
Charles Smith	54	1,009	18.7	5

WASHINGTON FEDERALS—GAME 6

March 31 at Washington

Office.....1660 L Street NW, Suite 915
Washington, D.C. 20036
Owner.....Berl Bernhard
General Manager.....Dick Meyers
Public Relations.....Rick Vaughn
Office.....(202) 331-8735
Colors.....Kelly Green and White
Stadium.....R.F.K Stadium (54,794)
Prescription Turf

Berl Bernhard

Ray Jauch

1983 Record—WON 4, LOST 14; SERIES RECORD—CHICAGO 2, WASHINGTON 0
Head Coach—Ray Jauch (2nd season, 4-14; 121-99-4 in 13 years) Assistant Coaches—Dick Bielski, Offensive Coordinator; Leo McKillip, Defensive Coordinator; Bruce Beatty, Offensive Line; Gene Stauber, Defensive Line; Ted Vactor, Offensive Backfield and Special Teams; Bill Happel, Defensive Backfield.
Director of Player Personnel.....Charles Garcia
Territorial Schools.....Clemson, Maryland, Virginia, South Carolina and Richmond.

1983 RESULTS (4-14)

7	**CHICAGO**	**28**
3	at Los Angeles	20
16	at Boston	19
22	Michigan	16 (OT)
3	at Philadelphia	34
21	Arizona	22
22	at New Jersey	23
23	Tampa Bay	30
3	Birmingham	35
3	**AT CHICAGO**	**31**
27	at Oakland	34
14	Boston	21
29	New Jersey	32
12	at Denver	24
18	at Arizona	11
25	at Michigan	27
28	Los Angeles	21
21	Philadelphia	14

1984 SCHEDULE

Feb. 26....at Jacksonville
March 4...PHILADELPHIA
March 12.....at Arizona
March 18..PITTSBURGH
March 25...at New Jersey
March 31.....CHICAGO
April 9.....at Houston
April 14.....OKLAHOMA
April 22.....at Oakland
April 28.....at Tampa Bay
May 6.....MEMPHIS
May 11.....NEW JERSEY
May 20...SAN ANTONIO
May 27.....at Pittsburgh
June 3....LOS ANGELES
June 10....at Birmingham
June 15...at Philadelphia
June 23..NEW ORLEANS

1983 TEAM LEADERS

RUSHING

	Car.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Craig James....	202	823	4.1	4
Billy Taylor.....	171	757	4.4	5

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	TD
Kim McQuilken	334	188	1,912	7
Mike Hohensee	190	92	1,297	9

RECEIVING

	Rec.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Billy Taylor.....	64	523	8.2	2
Joey Walters ...	63	959	15.2	6

SAN ANTONIO GUNSLINGERS—GAME 7 & 11

April 7 at Chicago,
May 6 at San Antonio

Office.....P.O. Box 12363
San Antonio, TX 78212
Owner.....Clinton Manges
General Manager.....Roger Gill
Public Relations.....Ray Evans
Office.....(512) 734-8735
Colors.....Kelly Green, Royal Blue and Silver
Stadium.....Alamo Stadium (32,000)
Super Turf

Clinton Manges

Gil Steinke

Head Coach—Gil Steinke (1st year; 182-61-4 in 23 years) Assistant Coaches—Larry Kuharich, Offensive Coordinator; Jim Bates, Defensive Coordinator; Mike Barry, Offensive Line; David Knaus, Defensive Line; Ben Hawkins, Receivers; Tommy Roberts, Quarterbacks and Special Teams; Tim Marcum, Linebackers; Bill Bradley, Defensive Backs
Director of Player Personnel.....Roger Gill
Territorial Schools.....Angelo State, Baylor, Southwest Texas State, Texas and Texas—El Paso

1984 SCHEDULE

Feb. 26 . . NEW ORLEANS	April 28. . . . . at Arizona
March 5. . . . . HOUSTON	**May 6**. . . . . **CHICAGO**
March 11 . . . . at Oklahoma	May 11. . . . . at Memphis
March 17 . LOS ANGELES	May 20 . . . . at Washington
March 24. . . . . OAKLAND	May 25. . . . . DENVER
April 1. . . . . at Michigan	June 2. . . . . MICHIGAN
April 7 . . . . . **AT CHICAGO**	June 22 . . . . . at Pittsburgh
April 14. . . . at Jacksonville	June 18. . . . . at Houston
April 22 . . PHILADELPHIA	June 24 . . . . . OKLAHOMA

PHILADELPHIA STARS—GAME 8

April 15 at Philadelphia

Office.....Veterans Stadium
Broad Street & Pattison Ave
Philadelphia, PA 19148
Owner.....Myles H. Tanenbaum
General Manager.....Carl D. Peterson
Public Relations.....Robert B. Moore
Office.....(215) 271-7000
Colors.....Crimson and Old Gold
Stadium.....Veterans Stadium (72,128)
Astro Turf

Myles H. Tanenbaum

Jim Mora

1983 RECORD—WON 16, LOST 4; SERIES RECORD—CHICAGO 0, PHILADELPHIA 2
Head Coach—Jim Mora (2nd season, 16-4) Assistant Coaches—Jim Erkenbeck, Offensive Coordinator and Offensive Line; Carl Smith, Quarterbacks and Wide Receivers; Joe Marciano, Special Teams and Tight Ends; James Skipper, Running Backs; Vince Tobin, Defensive Coordinator; John Pease, Defensive Line; Dom Capers, Defensive Backs
Director of Player Personnel.....Bill Kuharich
Territorial Schools.....Delaware, Lehigh, North Carolina, Penn State and Temple

1983 RESULTS (16-4)

13	at Denver	7
25	New Jersey	0
17	Birmingham	10
22	Tampa Bay	27
34	Washington	3
17	at Los Angeles	3
17	at Oakland	7
23	Boston	16
24	at Tampa Bay	10
6	Denver	3
31	**CHICAGO**	**24**
24	at Arizona	7
17	at Boston	21
29	Michigan	20
23	at New Jersey	9
12	Oakland	6
*44	CHICAGO	38
#22	Michigan (at Denver)	24

*Playoff
#Championship

1984 SCHEDULE

Feb. 26.....at Memphis
March 4.....at Washington
March 11.....at New Jersey
March 18.....OAKLAND
March 24.....at Pittsburgh
April 1.....TAMPA BAY
April 8.....at Arizona
April 15.....CHICAGO
April 22.....at San Antonio
April 27.....NEW ORLEANS
May 4.....at Birmingham
May 13.....LOS ANGELES
May 19.....JACKSONVILLE
May 27.....at Michigan
June 4.....PITTSBURGH
June 8.....at Denver
June 15.....WASHINGTON
June 24.....NEW JERSEY

1983 TEAM LEADERS

RUSHING

	Car.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Kelvin Bryant	308	1,402	4.6	15
Allen Harvin	114	546	4.8	4

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	TD
Chuck Fusina	375	215	2,377	13

RECEIVING

	Rec.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Kelvin Bryant	50	396	7.9	1
Willie Collier	45	650	14.4	3

LOS ANGELES EXPRESS—GAME 9

April 20 at Chicago

Office.....1501 Redondo Ave
Manhattan Beach, CA 90266
Owner.....J. William Oldenburg
General Manager.....Don Klosterman
Public Relations.....Bob Rose
Office.....(213) 546-5666
Colors.....Blue, Silver, and Burgundy
Stadium.....Los Angeles Memorial
Coliseum (92,516) Natural Grass

J. William Oldenburg John Hadl

1983 RECORD—WON 8, LOST 10; SERIES RECORD—CHICAGO 2, LOS ANGELES 0
Head Coach—John Hadl (1st season) Assistant Coaches: Sid Gillman, Special Assistant Coach; Sam Gruneisen, Offensive Line; Pokey Allen, Defensive Coordinator; Mike Ackerley, Linebackers; Keith Gilbertson, Defensive Line, Ed Lambert, Running Backs; Don McLeary, Receivers and Special Teams; Dick Rehbein, Strength and Conditioning
Director of Player Personnel.....Tom Fears
Territorial Schools.....California Lutheran, Cal State Fullerton, Cal State Long Beach, Pacific and Southern California

1983 RESULTS (8-10)

20	New Jersey	15
20	Washington	3
14	at Arizona	21
14	**AT CHICAGO**	**20**
10	Oakland	7
3	Philadelphia	17
18	at Tampa Bay	13
24	at Michigan	34
17	**CHICAGO**	**38**
23	Boston	20
20	at Birmingham	35
14	at Denver	10
10	at Oakland	20
17	Arizona	13
17	Michigan	42
13	at New Jersey	20
21	at Washington	28
21	Denver	14

1984 SCHEDULE

Feb. 26.....Denver
March 4.....BIRMINGHAM
March 11.....at Oakland
March 17.....at San Antonio
March 25 JACKSONVILLE
APRIL 1.....NEW JERSEY
April 9.....at Denver
April 14.....MEMPHIS
April 20.....AT CHICAGO
April 30.....at Houston
May 5.....PITTSBURGH
May 13.....at Philadelphia
May 20.....MICHIGAN
May 26.....ARIZONA
June 3.....at Washington
June 10.....at Oklahoma
June 15.....OAKLAND
June 23.....at Arizona

1983 TEAM LEADERS

RUSHING

	Car.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
LaRue Harrington	143	547	3.8	1
Tony Boddie	109	403	3.7	3

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	TD
Mike Rae	319	175	1,964	11
Tom Ramsey	307	160	1,975	13

RECEIVING

	Rec.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Ricky Ellis	69	716	10.4	6
Kris Haines	48	650	13.5	5

OAKLAND INVADERS—GAME 10

April 29 at Chicago

Office.....7850 Edgewater Drive
Oakland, CA 94621
Owner.....Tad Taube
General Manager.....John Ralston
Public Relations.....Geno Effler
Office.....(415) 638-6900
Colors.....Blue and Gold
Stadium.....Oakland-Alameda
County Coliseum (53,482), Natural Grass

Tad Taube

John Ralston

1983 RECORD—WON 9, LOST 10; SERIES RECORD—CHICAGO 1, OAKLAND 0
Head Coach—John Ralston (2nd season, 9-10; 43-42 in 6 years) Assistant Coaches—Doug Gerhart, Offensive Coordinator; Ron Lynn, Defensive Coordinator; Larry Bryan, Running Backs; Al Darby, Receivers; Bill Dickey, Special Teams; Bill Dutton, Defensive Line; Mike Haluchak, Linebackers; Cedrick Hardman, Defensive Line
Director of Player Personnel.....Chuck Hutchison
Territorial Schools.....California, Cal Poly SLO, Fresno State, San Jose State and Stanford

1983 RESULTS (9-10)

24	at Arizona	0
14	Birmingham (OT)	20
33	at Michigan	27
12	at Denver	22
7	at Los Angeles	10
26	at Boston	7
7	Philadelphia	17
9	at Birmingham	21
34	Arizona	20
10	Tampa Bay	17
34	Washington	27
9	at Tampa Bay	29
20	Los Angeles	10
34	New Jersey	21
16	Denver	10
6	at Philadelphia	12
17	**AT CHICAGO**	**31**
*21	at Michigan	37

*Playoff

1984 SCHEDULE

Feb. 26.....at Arizona
March 4...NEW ORLEANS
March 11..LOS ANGELES
March 18..at Philadelphia
March 24..at San Antonio
April 1.....at Pittsburgh
April 8.....at Tampa Bay
April 16.....HOUSTON
April 22...WASHINGTON
April 29.....AT CHICAGO
May 5.....DENVER
May 13.....ARIZONA
May 19.....MEMPHIS
May 26.....at Oklahoma
June 2...JACKSONVILLE
June 9.....MICHIGAN
June 15...at Los Angeles
June 22.....at Denver

1983 TEAM LEADERS

RUSHING

	Car.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Arthur Whittington	282	1,043	3.7	6
Louis Jackson	82	273	3.3	0

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	TD
Fred Besana	550	345	3,980	21

RECEIVING

	Rec.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Ray Chester	68	951	14.0	5
Arthur Whittington	66	854	8.8	2

DENVER GOLD—GAME 12

May 11 at Denver

Office.....8702 Rosemary Street
Commerce City, CO 80022
Owner.....Ron Blanding
General Manager.....Bill Roth
Public Relations.....Jim VanSomeren
Office.....(303) 289-4371
Colors.....Gold and Black
Stadium.....Mile High Stadium (75,123)
Prescription Turf

Ron Blanding

Craig Morton

1983 RECORD—WON 7, LOST 11; SERIES RECORD—CHICAGO 0, DENVER 1
Head Coach—Craig Morton (2nd season, 3-3) Assistant Coaches—Jim Carr, Defensive Coordinator and Defensive Backs; Lonnie Warwick, Linebackers; Bill Dutton, Defensive Line; Babe Parilli, Offensive Coordinator; Don Frease, Wide Receivers and Tight Ends; Gary Cabe, Running Backs; Phil Cancik, Special Teams and Strength; Jim Cadile, Offensive Line
Director of Player Personnel.....Tom Marino
Territorial Schools.....Colorado, Colorado State, Wyoming, West Texas State, and Texas Tech.

1983 RESULTS (7-11)

7	Philadelphia	13
7	Boston	21
16	**AT CHICAGO**	**13**
22	Oakland	12
29	at Michigan	21
16	Tampa Bay (OT)	22
9	at Birmingham	7
3	at Arizona	24
29	New Jersey	34
3	at Philadelphia	6
9	at Boston	17
10	Los Angeles	14
21	Birmingham	19
24	Washington	12
10	at Oakland	16
32	Arizona	6
23	at Tampa Bay	26
14	at Los Angeles	21

1984 SCHEDULE

Feb. 26....at Los Angeles
March 3.....at Oklahoma
March 11.....MICHIGAN
March 18.....TAMPA BAY
March 25.....at Memphis
April 1.....ARIZONA
April 9.....LOS ANGELES
April 15.....at Pittsburgh
April 22...at New Orleans
April 29...BIRMINGHAM
May 5.....at Oakland
MAY 11.....CHICAGO
May 19.....at Arizona
May 25....at San Antonio
June 3.....HOUSTON
June 8...PHILADELPHIA
June 16....at New Jersey
June 22.....OAKLAND

1983 TEAM LEADERS

RUSHING

	Car.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Harry Sydney	176	801	4.6	9
Larry Canada	142	631	4.4	3

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	TD
Ken Johnson	248	171	1,119	6
Craig Penrose	84	48	621	5

RECEIVING

	Rec.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Larry Canada	42	242	3.8	0
Bob Niziolek	37	373	10.1	3

BIRMINGHAM STALLIONS—GAME 13

May 18 at Chicago

Office . . . 1919 Morris Avenue, Suite 1313
Birmingham, AL 35203
Owner . . . . . Ambassador Marvin L. Warner
General Manager . . . . . Jerry Sklar
Public Relations . . . . . Hal Hayes
Office . . . . . (205) 251-8735
Colors . . . . . Scarlet, Tan and White
Stadium . . . . . Legion Field (75,412)
Astro Turf

Marvin Warner

Rollie Dotsch

1983 RECORD—WON 9, LOST 9; SERIES RECORD—CHICAGO 2, BIRMINGHAM 0
Head Coach—Rollie Dotsch (2nd season, 9-9) Assistant Coaches—Hank Kuhlmann, Offensive Coordinator; Jim Hilyer, Special Teams; Pat James, Defensive Line; Rich McGeorge, Tight Ends and Receivers; John Mitchell, Linebackers; Carl Reese, Defensive Coordinator
Director of Player Personnel . . . . . Bob Gates
Territorial Schools . . . . . Alabama, Alabama State, Auburn, Mississippi and Troy State

1983 RESULTS (9-9)

7	Michigan	9
20	at Oakland (OT)	14
10	Philadelphia	17
16	Arizona	7
16	at Boston	27
11	**AT CHICAGO**	**22**
7	Denver	9
21	Oakland	9
35	at Washington	3
22	at New Jersey	7
35	Los Angeles	20
23	at Michigan (OT)	20
19	at Denver	21
17	at Tampa Bay	45
31	Boston	19
14	**CHICAGO**	**29**
10	at Philadelphia	31
29	Tampa Bay	17

1984 SCHEDULE

Feb. 26 . . . . NEW JERSEY
March 4 . . . at Los Angeles
March 11 . . . . at Pittsburgh
March 17 . . . . . MEMPHIS
March 26 . . . at Tampa Bay
April 2 . . . NEW ORLEANS
April 7 . . . . at Jacksonville
April 15 . . . . . at Michigan
April 20 . . . . . OKLAHOMA
April 29 . . . . . at Denver
May 4 . . . . PHILADELPHIA
MAY 11 . . JACKSONVILLE
MAY 18 . . . . AT CHICAGO
May 27 . . . at New Orleans
June 3 . . . . . ARIZONA
June 10 . . . WASHINGTON
June 16 . . . . . at Memphis
June 24 . . . . . TAMPA BAY

1983 TEAM LEADERS

RUSHING

	Car.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Ken Talton	228	907	4.0	5
Earl Gant	133	530	4.0	2

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.,	TD
Bob Lane	346	175	2,264	14
Reggie Collier	108	47	604	1

RECEIVING

	Rec.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Jim Smith	51	756	14.8	3
Darryl Mason	45	547	12.2	2

NEW JERSEY GENERALS—GAME 14

May 28 at Chicago

Office.....3 Empire Boulevard
South Hackensack, NJ 07606
Owner.....Donald J. Trump
General Manager.....James Valek
Public Relations.....Kevin MacConnell
Office.....(201) 641-8064
Colors.....Scarlet Red, Royal Blue and White
Stadium.....Giants Stadium (76,891)
Astro Turf

Donald J. Trump

Walt Michaels

1983 RECORD—WON 6, LOST 12; SERIES RECORD—CHICAGO 2, NEW JERSEY 0
Head Coach—Walt Michaels (1st Season; 39-47-1 in 6 years) Assistant Coaches—Bill Austin, Offensive Coordinator and Offensive Line; Clark Gaines, Running Backs and Special Teams; John Polonchek, Quarterbacks; Chris Palmer, Wide Receivers; Dale Lindsey, Defensive Coordinator and Linebackers; Ted Cottrell, Defensive Line; Joe Pascale, Defensive Backs
Director of Player Personnel.....Steve Barrett
Territorial Schools.....Colgate, Mississippi State, Ohio State, Rutgers and Syracuse

1983 RESULTS (6-12)

15	at Los Angeles	20
0	at Philadelphia	25
9	Tampa Bay	32
21	Boston	31
35	at Arizona	21
6	Michigan	21
23	Washington	22
14	**AT CHICAGO (OT)**	**17**
34	at Denver	29
7	Birmingham	22
24	at Michigan	31
13	**CHICAGO (OT)**	**19**
32	at Washington	29
21	at Oakland	34
9	Philadelphia	23
20	Los Angeles	13
21	Arizona	14
10	at Boston	34

1984 SCHEDULE

Feb. 26 ... at Birmingham
March 2 ... at Jacksonville
March 11 ... PHILADELPHIA
March 18 ... at Houston
March 25 ... WASHINGTON
April 1 ... at Los Angeles
April 8 ... MEMPHIS
April 15 ... ARIZONA
April 22 ... at Pittsburgh
April 29 ... MICHIGAN
May 6 ... OKLAHOMA
May 11 ... at Washington
May 21 ... PITTSBURGH
MAY 28 ... AT CHICAGO
June 3 ... at Tampa Bay
June 8 ... NEW ORLEANS
June 16 ... DENVER
June 24 ... at Philadelphia

1983 TEAM LEADERS

RUSHING

	Car.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Herschel Walker	412	1812	4.4	17
Maurice Carthon	90	334	3.7	3

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	TD
Bobby Scott	296	167	2,174	7
Jeff Knapple	164	82	1,077	3

RECEIVING

	Rec.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Herschel Walker	53	489	9.2	1
Sam Bowers	43	715	16.6	1

ARIZONA WRANGLERS—GAME 17

June 15 at Chicago

Office.....515 North 48 Street
Phoenix, AZ 85008
Owner.....Edward B. Diethrich, M.D.
General Manager.....Bruce Allen
Public Relations.....Steve Des Georges
Office.....(602) 253-7777
Colors.....Red, Copper, Gold and Blue
Stadium.....Sun Devil Stadium (70,030)
Natural Grass

Dr. Diethrich

George Allen

1983 RECORD—WON 4, LOST 14; SERIES RECORD—CHICAGO 1, ARIZONA 1
Head Coach—George Allen (1st Season; 123-55-5 in 13 years) Assistant Coaches—Warren Anderson, Strength and Conditioning; Roman Gabriel, Quarterbacks; John Payne, Offensive Line; Donald Pollard, Defensive Backs; John Teerlinck, Defensive Line; Ray Wietecha, Running Backs; Pete Kettela, Receivers; Bob Lard, Special Teams
Director of Pro Scouting.....Ed Buckley
Director of College Scouting.....Mike McCarthy
Territorial Schools.....Arizona, Arizona State, New Mexico, New Mexico State and Northern Arizona

1983 RESULTS
(4-14)

0	Oakland	24
30	**CHICAGO**	**29**
21	Los Angeles	14
7	at Birmingham	16
21	New Jersey	35
22	at Washington	21
23	Boston	44
24	Denver	3
20	at Oakland	34
10	Michigan	21
14	at Tampa Bay	20
7	Philadelphia	24
11	**AT CHICAGO**	**36**
13	at Los Angeles	17
11	Washington	18
6	at Denver	32
14	at New Jersey	21
7	at Michigan	33

1984 SCHEDULE

Feb. 26.....OAKLAND
March 2.....TAMPA BAY
March 12.....WASHINGTON
March 18.....at Michigan
March 24.....OKLAHOMA
April 1.....at Denver
April 8.....PHILADELPHIA
April 15.....at New Jersey
April 21.....at Houston
April 28.....SAN ANTONIO
May 7.....at New Orleans
May 13.....at Oakland
May 19.....DENVER
May 26.....at Los Angeles
June 3.....at Birmingham
June 8.....JACKSONVILLE
June 15.....AT CHICAGO
June 23.....LOS ANGELES

1983 TEAM LEADERS

RUSHING

	Car.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Calvin Murray	179	699	3.9	4
Steve Howell	96	380	4.0	0

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	TD
Alan Risher	424	236	2,672	20

RECEIVING

	Rec.	Yds.	Ave.	TD
Mark Keel	63	802	12.3	2
Jackie Flowers	63	869	13.0	11

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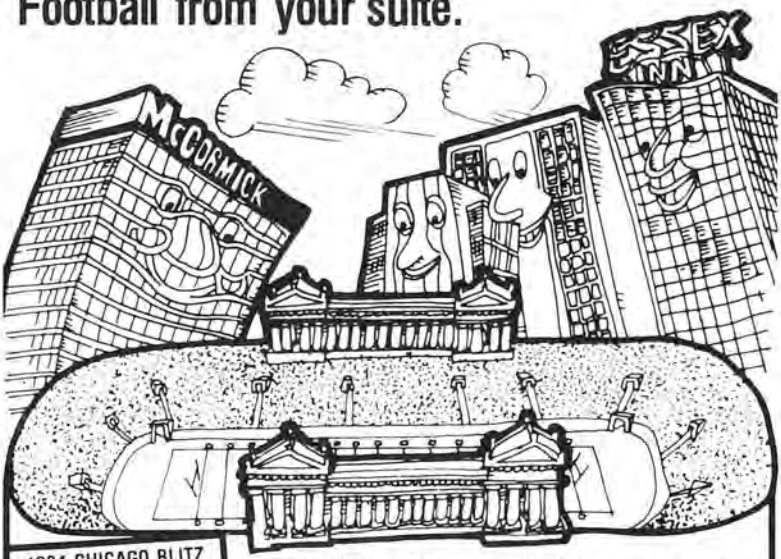

1984 CHICAGO BLITZ HOME GAMES

Sunday, March 11, 1:30 p.m.
Houston Gamblers
Saturday, March 17, 3 p.m.
Oklahoma Outlaws
Saturday, April 7, 1:30 p.m.
San Antonio Gunslingers
Friday, April 20, 8 p.m.
Los Angeles Express
Sunday, April 29, 1:30 p.m.
Oakland Invaders
Friday, May 18, 7 p.m.
Burmingham Stallions
Monday, May 28, 8 p.m.
New Jersey Generals
Friday, June 15, 7 p.m.
Arizona Wranglers
Sunday, June 24, 1:30 p.m.
Michigan Panthers

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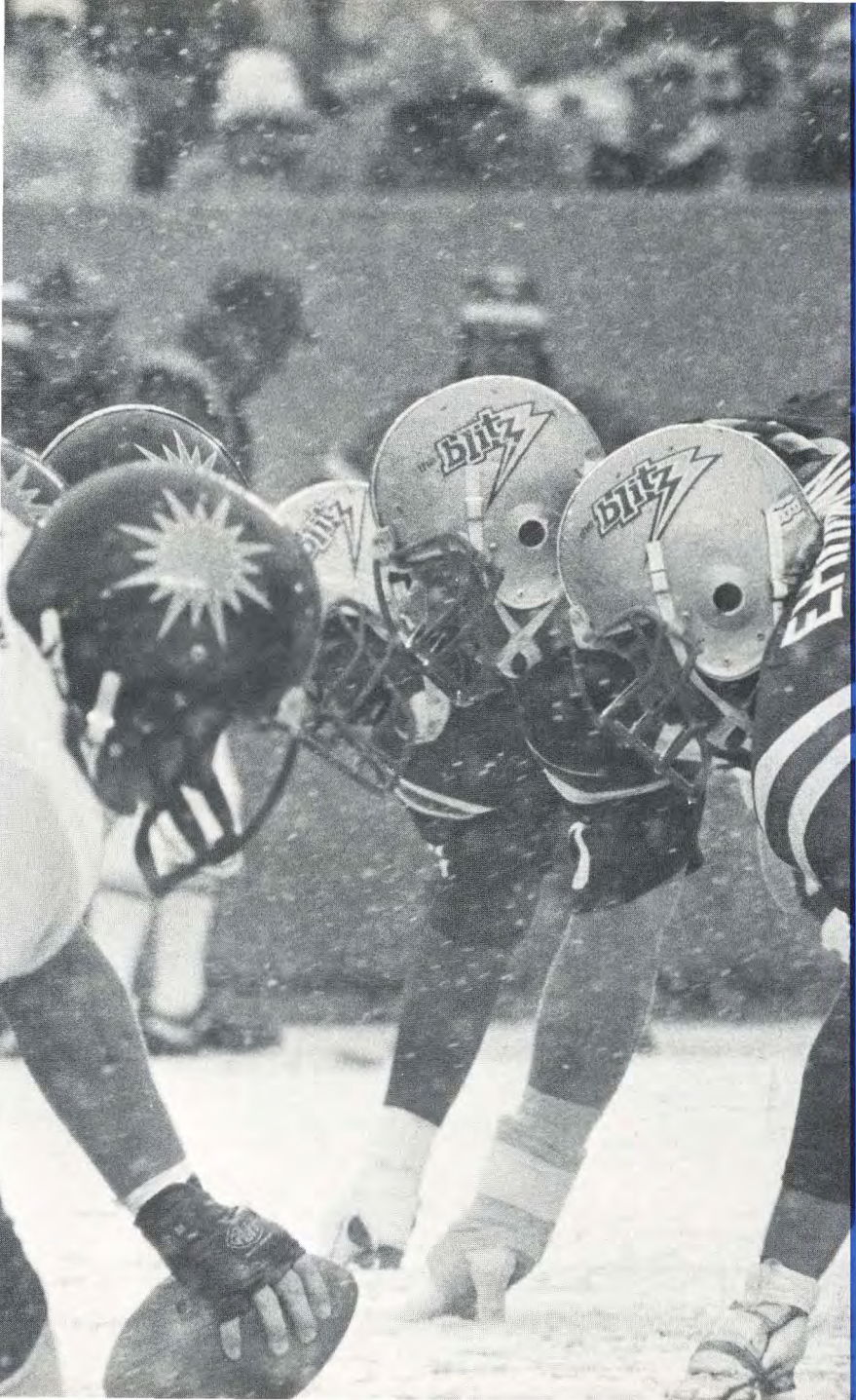

CHARTER SEASON

GAME #1 — 1-0

Chicago Blitz 28, Washington Federals 7
RFK Stadium—Washington, D.C.—March 6
38,010

George Allen's triumphant return to Washington, where he paced the sidelines for seven years as head coach of the Washington Redskins and posted a 43-10-1 record. Greg Landry was 19 of 27 for 251 yards and 2 TDs . . . with Trumaine Johnson catching 11 passes for 158 yards and 1 TD to establish himself as the league's premier pass receiver. Washington scored with 8 seconds remaining on the clock. The Blitz had 356 yards of total offense and 24 first downs.

Chicago	7	14	0	7	28
Washington	0	0	0	7	7

Chi.—Buggs, recovers fumble in end zone (Corral kick)
Chi.—Long, 4 run (Corral kick)
Chi.—Johnson, 23 pass from Landry (Corral kick)
Chi.—Ricker, 10 pass from Landry (Corral kick)
Wash.—Lee, 10 pass from Hohensee (Ariri kick)

	Blitz	Federals
First Downs	24	11
Net Yards Gained	356	208
Rushing Yardage	143	36
Passing Yardage	213	172
Passes/Comp/Had Int.	27/19/0	35/18/3
Punts	5/41.6	9/33.7
Fumbles/Lost	1/0	3/1
Penalties	6/55	5/45

Rushing

Blitz—Spencer 17-69, Long 13-37, Stone 8-24, Dennison 3-9, Landry 2-5, Buggs 1-2-, Koegel 1-(-3)
Federals—James 14-34, Hohensee 1-2

Passing

Blitz—Landry 27-19-0-251-2TD
Federals—Hohensee 28-16-3-178-1TD, McQuilken 7-2-0-24-0TD

Receiving

Blitz—Johnson 11-158, Ricker 3-32, Spencer 2-24, Buggs 1-15, Willis 1-10, Long 1-12
Federals—R. Smith 5-71, Walters, 5-72, James 4-16, Lee 2-32, M. Brown 1-18, Hardeman 1-3, Mayberry 1-(-1)

Punting

Blitz—Corral 5-41.6-42 lg
Federals—Hoffman 9-33.7-42 lg

GAME #2 — 1-1

Arizona Wranglers 30, Chicago Blitz 29 Sun Devil Stadium—Tempe, Ariz.—March 12 (night), 28,434

The Blitz built a 29-12 lead with 11:23 remaining in the game. Chicago failed to gain another first down, while Arizona quarterback Alan Risher passed for two touchdowns and placekicker Jim Asmus kicked a 33-yard field goal to win the game with 0:01 left in the game. Greg Landry was 24 of 36 for 268 yards and 3 TDs . . . with Wamon Buggs catching 7 of them for 96 yards. Punter/placekicker Frank Corral injured his right knee the night before the game, but played and missed two PATs.

Chicago	7	3	13	6	29
Arizona	3	3	6	18	30

Ari.—Asmus, 24 FG
Chi.—Willis, 15 pass from Landry (Corral kick)
Chi.—Corral, 23 FG
Ari.—Asmus, 35 FG
Chi.—Ricker, 12 pass from Landry (kick failed)
Ari.—Smith, 6 pass from Risher (kick blocked)
Chi.—Long, 1 run (Corral kick)
Chi.—Ricker, 15 pass from Landry (kick failed)
Ari.—Flowers, 10 pass from Risher (Risher to Keel)
Ari.—Balholm, 9 pass from Risher (Asmus kick)
Ari.—Asmus, 33 FG (0:01)

	Blitz	Wranglers
First Downs	26	25
Net Yards Gained	346	440
Rushing Yardage	90	151
Passing Yardage	256	289
Passes/Comp/Had Int.	36/24/0	41/29/0
Punts	3/32.3	2/39
Fumbles/Lost	2/1	4/1
Penalties	7/63	19/130

Rushing

Blitz—Long 11-45, Spencer 14-40, Landry 1-5
Wranglers—Howell 11-49, Risher 6-40, Bledsoe 10-36, Clark 6-19, Blue 1-7

Passing

Blitz—Landry 36-24-0-268-0TD
Wranglers—Risher 40-28-0-269-3TD, Asmus 1-1-0-28-0TD

Receiving

Blitz—Buggs 7-96, Spencer 6-29, Johnson 5-63, Ricker 5-65, Willis 1-15
Wranglers—Bolholm 9-91, Keel 6-64, Bleosoe 4-47, Smith 3-25, Howell 3-12, Flowers 2-27, Clark 1-(-2), Reod 1-28

Punting

Blitz—Corral 3-32.3-36lg
Wranglers—Asmus 2-39.0-50lg

GAME #3 1-2

Denver Gold 16, Chicago Blitz 13 Soldier Field — Chicago, Ill. — March 20 21,949

The home opener for the Blitz was greeted by blizzard-like conditions . . . 30 degrees at game time . . . 20 mph wind out of the north . . . and 8 inches of snow. John Roveto gave the Blitz a 13-10 lead on a 38-yard field goal with 11:45 to play in the game. Again, the Blitz failed to gain another first down. The Gold took over at 6:56 and drove 70 yards . . . quarterback Ken Johnson optioned the ball in from the 1-yard line for the winning TD with 0:18 on the clock. Halfback Tim Spencer gained 82 yards and fullback Kevin Long gained 80.

Denver	3	7	0	6	16
Chicago	10	0	0	3	13

Chi.—Roveto, 27 FG
Chi.—Willis, 42 pass from Landry (Roveto kick)
Den.—Speelman, 39 FG
Den.—Sydney, 30 run (Speelman kick)
Chi.—Roveto, 38 FG
Den.—Johnson, 1 run (kick failed) (0:18)

	Blitz	Gold
First Downs	16	7
Net Yards Gained	263	150
Rushing Yardage	155	150
Passing Yardage	108	0
Passes/Comp/Had Int.	18/7/1	9/3/3
Punts	5/31.2	5/37.2
Fumbles/Lost	5/0	3/0
Penalties	3/30	7/54

Rushing

Blitz—Spencer 20-82, Long 23-80, Johnson 1-3, Landry 4-3, Garcia 1-(-13).
Gold—Sidney 9-79, Canada 10-24, Miller 6-21, Johnson 4-12, Mathews 2-8, Niziolek 1-6.

Passing

Blitz—Landry 17-7-1-114-1TD.
Gold—K. Johnson 6-3-2-25-0TD, Sydney 1-0-0-0-0TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Johnson 4-58, Willis 1-42, Spencer 1-8, Ricker, 1-6.
Gold—Niziolek 1-13, James 1-9, Sydney 1-3.

Punting

Blitz—Garcia 5-31.2-41lg.
Gold—Gorts 5-37.2-59lg.

GAME #4 2-2

Chicago Blitz 20, Los Angeles Express 14 Soldier Field—Chicago, Ill.—March 27 10,936

Once again the elements descended on Soldier Field. . .sleet and rain. But the Blitz bounced back to win; Roveto clinched the victory with a 24-yard field goal with 2:04 remaining in the game. Following the field goal, linebacker Eddie Smith intercepted an Express pass on the first play. . .and the game ended when nickel-back Eddie Brown interecepted a second Express pass. The Blitz had 322 yards in total offense during the afternoon.

Los Angeles	0	0	14	0	14
Chicago	0	10	7	3	20

Chi.—Roveto, 38 FG
Chi.—Long, 1 run (Roveto kick)
L.A.—Boddie, 40 pass from Ramsey (Abbott kick)
Chi.—Cozen, 5 pass from Landry (Roveto kick)
L.A.—Ellis, 18 pass from Ramsey (Abbott kick)
Chi.—Roveto, 24 FG

	Blitz	Express
First Downs	19	12
Net Yards Gained	322	208
Rushing Yardage	153	93
Passing Yardage	164	115
Passes/Comp/Had Int.	36/20/0	32/12/2
Punts	8/38.9	7/42.3
Fumbles/Lost	3/0	5/1
Penalties	8/65	3/20

Rushing

Blitz—Spencer 21-87, Long 12-58, Landry 5-12, Stone 2-1.
Express—Boddie 10-50, Barnett 5-21, Ramsey 2-14, Harrington, 5-6, Haslip 1-2.

Passing

Blitz—Landry 36-20-0-173-1TD.
Express—Ramsey 20-8-2-93-2TD, Rae 12-4-0-29-0TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Johnson 6-70, Long 4-16, Spencer 3-15, Buggs 3-53, Ricker 3-14, Cozen 1-5.
Express—Haines 3-26, Haslip 3-20, Harrington 3-12, Boddie 2-46, Ellis 1-18.

Punting

Blitz—Garcia 8-38.9-541g.
Express—Partridge 7-42.3-511g.

GAME #5 3-2

Chicago Blitz 42, Tampa Bay Bandits 3
Tampa Stadium—Tampa, Fla.—April 2 (night) 46,585

Monsoon-like rains drenched Tampa Stadium before the kickoff, but dissipated in time for free safety Luther Bradley to intercept a professional record 6 passes. . .one going for a 93-yard TD return. Greg Landry was 19 of 26 for 277 yards and 2 TDs. . .both to Trumaine Johnson, who had 7 catches for 146 yards. The Blitz scored 21 points in the 3rd quarter. The Bandits were 4-0 in the Central Division going in. . .a Blitz loss would have put Chicago 3 games behind. Chicago had 383 yards in total offensive.

Chicago	7	7	21	7	42
Tampa Bay	0	3	0	0	3

Chi.—Johnson, 45 pass from Landry (Roveto kick)
T.B.—Andrusyshyn, 32 FG
Chi.—Long, 1 run (Roveto kick)
Chi.—Johnson, 5 pass from Landry (Roveto kick)
Chi.—Bradley, 93 interception return (Roveto kick)
Chi.—Landry, 4 run (Roveto kick)
Chi.—Stone, 8 run (Roveto kick)

	Blitz	Bandits
First Downs	21	14
Net Yards Gained	383	265
Rushing Yardage	118	35
Passing Yardage	265	230
Passes/Comp/Had Int.	27/20/0	43/18/6
Punts	5/41.6	8/42.6
Fumbles/Lost	3/2	0/0
Penalties	3/31	9/66

Rushing

Blitz—Spencer 14-42, Dennison 8-29, Long 8-26, Landry 3-15, Stone 3-6.
Bandits—Boone 14-22, Platt 6-14, Holmes 1-3, Jordon 1-(-4).

Passing

Blitz—Landry 26-19-0-277-2TD, Koegel 1-1-0-8-0TD.
Bandits—Reaves 29-12-4-180-0TD, Jordan 12-6-2-72-0TD, Truvillion 1-0-0-0-0TD, Platt 1-0-0-0-0TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Johnson 7-146, Spencer 5-57, Ricker 3-43, Buggs 2-4, Dennison 1-24, Anderson 1-8, Long 1-3.
Bandits—Platt 5-35, Boone 3-28, Buggs 2-64, Truvillion 2-55, Cox 2-29, Gilbert 2-17, Gillespie 1-15, Young 1-9.

Punting

Blitz—Garcia 5-41.6-541g.
Bandits—Andrusyshyn 8-42.6-641g.

GAME #6 4-2

Chicago Blitz 22, Birmingham Stallions 11
Soldier Field—Chicago, Ill.—April 10 13,859

Threatening weather plagued the contest. . . second Central Division foe in a row. The game was tied at 6-all at half-time. Tim Spencer scored his first professional TD in the 3rd quarter to put the Blitz in front. . .but Birmingham closed to 13-11 on a safety and field goal in the 4th period. Chicago drove 83 yards in 12 plays with Kevin Long diving in from the 1-yard line with 1:57 remaining in the game. The Blitz gained a safety 57 seconds later, when Kit Lathrop sacked Stallion quarterback Reggie Collier in the end zone to preserve the victory. Spencer had his first 100-yard game. . .106 yards on 19 carries. . . while Landry passed for 232 yards on 16 of 29. The team had 413 yards in total offense and 24 first downs.

Birmingham	0	6	0	5	11
Chicago	3	3	7	9	22

Chi.—Corral, 20 FG
Chi.—Corral 42 FG
Birm.—Collier, 11 run (kick failed)
Chi.—Spencer, 2 run (Corral kick)
Birm.—Raines, sacked Landry in end zone (safety)
Birm.—Norwood, 36 FG
Chi.—Long, 1 run (Corral kick)
Chi.—Lathrop, tackled Collier in end zone (safety)

	Blitz	Stallions
First Downs	24	16
Net Yards Gained	413	238
Rushing Yardage	210	171
Passing Yardage	203	65
Passes/Comp/Had Int	29/16/0	25/11/1
Punts	3/36.6	6/36.5
Fumbles/Lost	2/1	1/0
Penalties	4/24	6/39

Rushing

Blitz—Spencer 19-106, Long 17-73, Landry 1-11, Stone 2-10, Dennison 1-10.
Stallions—Collier 9-74, Gant 6-32, White 7-29, Quarles 6-29, Skibinski 2-3, Johnson 1-4.

Passing

Blitz—Landry 29-16-0-232-0TD.
Stallions—Collier 25-11-1-137-0TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Long 4-21, Ricker 3-58, Buggs 3-48, Johnson 3-36, Dennison 1-31, Spencer 1-26, Willis 1-12.
Stallions—Smith 3-25, Mason 2-31, Anderson 2-29, Quarles 2-14, Gant 1-22, Frederick 1-16.

Punting

Blitz—Corral 3-36.6-491g.
Stallions—Bollinger 6-36.5-561g.

GAME #7 **4-3**

Michigan Panthers 17, Chicago Blitz 12

Silverdome—Pontiac, Mich.—April 17

11,634

While heavy snow was falling outside, the Panther defense held the Blitz offense to 186 total yards. Michigan also shrugged off three first half turnovers, which produced just one Blitz field goal. Chicago had the ball in scoring territory four times. . . but scored only two field goals for a 6-3 halftime lead. Rushing for 174 yards in the game, the Panthers scored 14 3rd quarter points and staved off a late Blitz rally to win.

Chicago.....	3	3	0	6	12
Michigan....	0	3	14	0	17

Chi.—Corral, 25 FG
Chi.—Corral, 44 FG
Mich.—Bojovic, 20 FG
Mich.—Williams, 31 run (Bojovic kick)
Mich.—Lacy, 9 run (Bojovic kick)
Chi.—Long, 1 run (pass failed)

	Blitz	Panthers
First Downs	10	14
Net Yards Gained	189	320
Rushing Yardage	116	174
Passing Yardage	73	146
Passes/Comp/Had Int.	31/12/2	29/19/3
Punts	7/41.6	5/36.4
Fumbles/Lost	1/0	3/1
Penalties	7/60	6/40

Rushing

Blitz—Long 12-79, Spencer 12-29, Landry 1-9, Dennison 1-1, Johnson 1-(-2).
Panthers—Williams 19-133, Lacy 11-24, Miller 4-18, Hebert 4-(-1).

Passing

Blitz—Landry 30-12-2-101-OTD, Johnson 1-0-0-0-OTD.
Panthers—Hebert 29-19-3-146-OTD.

Receiving

Blitz—Buggs 4-51, Spencer 3-20, Long 3-21, Johnson 2-9.
Panthers—Cobb 5-76, Lacy 4-16, Carter 1-22, Echols 1-21, Holloway 1-7, Williams 1-4.

Punting

Blitz—Corral 7-41.6-601g.
Panthers—Weaver 5-36.4-471g.

GAME #8 **5-3**

Chicago Blitz 17, New Jersey Generals 14 (OT)

Soldier Field—Chicago, Ill.—April 25 (night) 32,182

Herschel Walker came to town on a beautiful (55 degrees) spring night and gained 138 yards on 36 carries for his 4th straight 100-yard game. However, he gained 3 yards or less on 21 of his 36 carries and fumbled twice—once at the Blitz 5-yard line with 3:24 remaining in the 4th quarter. Chicago tied the score at 14-all with 11:57 to go in the 4th with Long climaxing a 74-yard, 8-play drive on a 1-yard dive into the end zone. With 11 seconds remaining in regulation, the Generals's kicker Dave Jacobs missed a 44-yard field goal. With 2:47 remaining in overtime, Corral kicked a game-winning 27-yard field goal. Landry passed for 246 yards on 22 of 35. . . while the Blitz had 336 yards in total offense. Chicago's defense sacked New Jersey quarterbacks 7 times and held the Generals to 47 net yards passing.

New Jersey..	0	6	0	8	0	14
Chicago.....	0	7	0	7	3	17

N.J.—Walker, 3 run (kick failed)
Chi.—Willis, 12 pass from Landry (Corral kick)
N.J.—Joyce, 13 run on blocked punt (Hicks to Boisture)
Chi.—Long, 1 run (Corral kick)
Chi.—Corral, 27 FG (2:47 OT)

	Blitz	Generals
First Downs	19	22
Net Yards Gained	336	246
Rushing Yardage	108	199
Passing Yardage	228	47
Passes/Comp/Had Int.	35/22/1	18/9/1
Punts	9/29.0	9/32.0
Fumbles/Lost	2/1	4/3
Penalties	13/139	10/87

Rushing

Blitz—Spencer 19-52, Long 14-49, Landry 1-7, Dennison 1-0.
Generals—Walker 36-138, Carthon 7-33, Boisture 5-30, Scott 2-2, Sullivan 2-1, Hicks 1-(-5)

Passing

Blitz—Landry 35-22-1-246-1TD.
Generals—Boisture 11-4-1-51-OTD, Scott 7-5-0-43-OTD.

Receiving

Blitz—Johnson 6-97, Long 5-26, Willis 3-46, Buggs 3-40, Dennison 3-21, Spencer 1-10, Ricker 1-6.
Generals—Brodsky 3-30, McConnaughey 2-30, Friede 2-29, Walker 2-5.

Punting

Blitz—Corral 7-37.3-561g.
Generals—Olander 9-32 0-361g.

GAME #9 — 6-3

Chicago Blitz 38, Los Angeles Express 17
Los Angeles Coliseum—Los Angeles, Calif. — May 1 21,123

Chicago roared out to a 24-3 half-time lead on two Paul Ricker TD catches, a Long TD run and a Corral field goal. Lance Shields added a TD on an interception return and Doug Dennison scored on a TD pass. Express turnovers led to 24 Blitz points. Los Angeles quarterbacks were sacked 5 times. Johnson caught 4 passes for 105 yards.

Chicago	14	10	7	7	38
Los Angeles	0	3	7	7	17

Chi.—Ricker, 18 pass from Landry (Corral kick)
Chi.—Long, 1 run (Corral kick)
Chi.—Corral, 28 FG
Chi.—Ricker, 1 pass from Landry (Corral kick)
L.A.—Abbott, 42 FG
L.A.—Williams, 53 pass from Ramsey (Abbott kick)
Chi.—Shields, 44 interception return (Corral kick)
L.A.—Haines, 40 pass from Ramsey (Abbott kick)
Chi.—Dennison, 9 pass from Landry (Corral kick)

	Blitz	Express
First Downs	13	18
Net Yards Gained	258	304
Rushing Yardage	84	96
Passing Yardage	174	208
Passes/Comp/Had Int.	23/11/0	33/19/3
Punts	7/37.1	5/37.5
Fumbles/Lost	1/1	2/2
Penalties	7/45	4/20

Rushing

Blitz—Long 9-40, Boatner 9-20, Spencer 14-12, Dennison 1-6, Johnson 1-6.
Express—Barnett 11-59, Boddie 8-26, Ramsey 3-8, Davis 1-3.

Passing

Blitz—Landry 23-11-0-186-3TD.
Express—Ramsey 25-14-2-196-2TD, Rae 8-5-1-45-0TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Johnson 4-105, Ricker 4-52, Willis 1-12, Dennison 1-9, Spencer 1-8.
Express—Ellis 8-69, Haines 6-106, Boddie 3-10, Williams 1-53, Barnett 1-3.

Punting

Blitz—Corral 7-37.1-531g.
Express—Partridge 5-37.6-481g.

GAME #10 — 7-3

Chicago Blitz 31, Washington Federals 3
Soldier Field—Chicago, Ill.—May 8 11,300

The second half of the season began as the first . . . a resounding victory over the Federals. The game was put out of reach early in the 4th quarter when Long capped the Blitz' longest scoring drive of the season — 96 yards in 13 plays — with a 5-yard TD run. Both Long and Spencer scored twice. It was also the shortest game of the season for Chicago — 2:43.

Washington	0	0	3	0	3
Chicago	14	7	0	10	31

Chi.—Long, 2 run (Corral kick)
Chi.—Spencer, 4 run (Corral kick)
Chi.—Spencer, 3 run (Corral kick)
Wash.—Castro, 21 FG
Chi.—Long, 5 run (Corral kick)
Chi.—Corral, 36 FG

	Blitz	Federals
First Downs	17	10
Net Yards Gained	295	187
Rushing Yardage	106	139
Passing Yardage	156	81
Passes/Comp/Had Int.	21/12/1	22/9/2
Punts	3/41.7	7/37.1
Fumbles/Lost	0/0	3/1
Penalties	7/45	6/37

Rushing

Blitz—Spencer 15-59, Long 14-51, Dennison 7-23, Boatner 3-6, Landry 1-0.
Federals—James 22-75, Taylor 10-32, McQuilken 2-(-1).

Passing

Blitz—Landry 18-10-1-145-0TD, Spencer 1-0-0-0-0TD, Koegel 2-2-0-32-0TD.
Federals—McQuilken 22-9-2-102-0TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Johnson 3-22, Ricker 2-64, Spencer 2-21, Buggs 2-18, Boatner 1-22, Willis 1-20, Anderson 1-10.
Federals—Taylor 3-57, Walters 3-19, Holmes 2-20, Diggs 1-6.

Punting

Blitz—Corral 3-41.7-611g.
Federals—Moore 7-37.1-481g.

GAME #11 — 7-4

Philadelphia Stars 31, Chicago Blitz 24
Veterans Stadium—Philadelphia, Pa.—May 15 25,251

Chicago had built a 24-10 lead over the Stars with 2½ minutes left in the 3rd quarter. Then the rains came . . . from the sky and Philadelphia touchdowns. Two Landry fumbles and an interception blunted Blitz drives . . . and Chuck Fusina led the Stars to three scoring drives . . . two by Kelvin Bryant and the winner on a 17-yard bootleg by Fusina. The Stars had 360 yards of total offense, 204 yards rushing.

Chicago	7	7	10	0	24
Philadelphia	3	7	0	21	31

Chi.—Willis, 24 pass from Landry (Corral kick)
Phi.—Trout, 46 FG
Phi.—Donovan, 12 pass from Eusina (Trout kick)
Chi.—Long, 7 run (Corral kick)
Chi.—Johnson, 9 pass from Landry (Corral kick)
Chi.—Corral, 37 FG
Phi.—Bryant, 3 run (Trout kick)
Phi.—Bryant, 5 run (Trout kick)
Phi.—Fusina, 17 run (Trout kick) (9:14)

	Blitz	Stars
First Downs	17	21
Net Yards Gained	296	360
Rushing Yardage	141	204
Passing Yardage	155	156
Passes/Comp/Had Int	24/13/1	28/16/1
Punts	5/42.2	5/35.0
Fumbles/Lost	4/2	3/1
Penalties	6/42	7/53

Rushing

Blitz—Long 16-76, Spencer 15-65, Landry 2-0.
Stars—Bryant 23-98, Fusina 12-87, Harvin 7-19.

Passing

Blitz—Landry 24-13-1-156-2TD.
Stars—Fusina 28-16-1-187-1TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Johnson 6-82, Buggs 3-16, Willis 2-47, Long 1-6, Spencer 1-5.
Stars—Collier 5-79, Fitzkee 3-55, Russell 3-15, Bryant 2-17, Donovan 1-12, Harvin 1-12, Riley 1-(-3).

Punting

Blitz—Corral 5-42.2-521g.
Stars—Landeta 4-43.8-611g.

GAME #12 — 8-4

Chicago Blitz 19, New Jersey Generals 13 (OT)
Giants Stadium—East Rutherford, N.J. — May 22 33,812

Another nail-biter with the Generals. With 14:49 remaining in the game and the score tied at 7-all . . . quarterback Greg Landry went down with a broken right ankle. Rookie Tim Koegel came in to continue the drive, resulting in a 20-yard Corral field goal. The Generals came right back with Walker scoring on a 25-yard run to give New Jersey a 13-10 lead (Jacobs' extra point try was no good). On the Generals next possession Walker fumbled and Shields recovered for the Blitz at the New Jersey 9. Corral kicked the game-tying field goal from 36 yards to send the game into overtime. Koegel moved the team to the New Jersey 5 in 5 plays . . . aided by a 38-yard pass to Johnson. On 3rd and goal from the 5, Corral faked a field goal, Koegel (the holder) bootlegged into the end zone for the winning TD. Walker ran for 141 yards on 33 carries.

Chicago	0	0	7	6	6	19
New Jersey	7	0	0	6	0	13

N.J.—Walker, 1 run (Jacobs kick)
Chi.—Willis, 36 pass from Landry (Corral kick)
Chi.—Corral, 20 FG
N.J.—Walker, 25 run (kick failed)
Chi.—Corral, 35 FG
Chi.—Koegel, 5 run (no attempt made) (3:53 OT)

	Blitz	Generals
First Downs	20	15
Net Yards Gained	392	314
Rushing Yardage	111	225
Passing Yardage	281	89
Passes/Comp/Had Int	42/21/3	21/10/2
Punts	5/49.6	7/36.2
Fumbles/Lost	1/1	2/1
Penalties	10/74	5/35

Rushing

Blitz—Spencer 16-72, Long 13-24, Dennison 2-1, Boatner 1-9, Koegel 1-5.
Generals—Walker 33-141, Carthon 4-16, Tullis 3-64, Scott 2-4.

Passing

Blitz—Landry 33-15-3-240-1TD, Koegel 9-6-0-74-0TD.
Generals—Scott 21-10-2-112-0TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Buggs 5-77, Spencer 5-70, Long 4-43, Willis 2-53, Johnson 2-47, Dennison 1-9.
Generals—McConnaughey 2-36, Friede 2-23, Walker 2-17, Slawson 1-15, Bowers 1-13, Carthon 1-7, Sullivan 1-1.

Punting

Blitz—Corral 5-49.6-631g.
Generals—Olander 7-36.2-411g.

GAME #13 — 9-4

Chicago Blitz 36, Arizona Wranglers 11
Soldier Field—Chicago, Ill.—May 30 (night)
13,952

The Blitz avenged its last second loss in Tempe with a 466-yard total offense production and 25 first downs. Long had his first 100-yard performance . . . 102 yards on 19 carries . . . Tim Spencer carried for 90 yards on 16 tries . . . for Chicago's best rushing performance of the season (253 yards on 50 carries). Johnson caught 4 passes for 117 yards and 1 TD . . . and Koegel passed for 202 yards.

Arizona	8	0	3	0	11
Chicago	3	21	7	5	36

Ari.—Balholm, 21 pass from Risher (Blue to Manucci)
Chi.—Corral, 40 FG
Chi.—Corral, 36 FG
Chi.—Johnson, 36 pass from Koegel (Corral kick)
Chi.—Willis, 40 punt return (Rozantz to Corral)
Chi.—Corral, 47 FG
Ari.—Denfield, 39 FG
Chi.—Spencer, 1 run (Corral kick)
Chi.—Corral, 18 FG
Chi.—Safety, punt snap fumbled through end zone

	Blitz	Wranglers
First Downs	25	7
Net Yards Gained	466	108
Rushing Yardage	253	46
Passing Yardage	213	62
Passes/Comp/Had Int.	31/13/1	25/15/0
Punts	2/35.0	9/36.0
Fumbles/Lost	4/2	9/4
Penalties	7/70	8/82

Rushing

Blitz—Long 19-102, Spencer 16-90, Boatner 8-47, Dennison 5-7, Johnson 1-8, Koegel 1-(-1)
Wranglers—Murray 9-34, Howell 8-17, Risher 3-(-6), Clark 1-1

Passing

Blitz—Koegel 29-12-1-202-1TD, Rozantz 2-1-0-11-0TD.
Wranglers—Risher 24-15-0-104-1TD, Manucci 1-0-0-0-0TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Johnson 4-117, Buggs 3-30, Ricker 2-39, Spencer 2-4, Willis 1-12, Anderson 1-11
Wranglers—Murray 6-36, Howell 6-28, Balholm 1-21, Keel 1-16, Henry 1-3.

Punting

Blitz—Corral 2-35.0-371g.
Wranglers—Mees 9-36.0-481g.

GAME #14 — 9-5

Boston Breakers 21, Chicago Blitz 15
Nickerson Field—Boston, Mass.—June 6 (night)
15,087

Chicago had taken a 13-0 lead over the Breakers . . . but, with 1:52 remaining in the 2nd quarter, Long fumbled and Boston took over at the Chicago 15. Quarterback Johnnie Walton bootlegged into the end zone from 10 yards to narrow the half-time margin to 13-7. In the 3rd quarter, Boston drove 77 yards in 4 plays (including a 50-yard pass from Walton to Nolan Franz) to take a 14-13 lead. In the 4th quarter, Mack Boatner fumbled and Boston recovered at the Boston 47. Seven plays and 53 yards later, Walton passed 9 yards to Richard Crump for the game-winner.

Chicago	3	10	0	2	15
Boston	0	7	7	7	21

Chi.—Corral, 33 FG
Chi.—Johnson, 29 pass from Koegel (Corral kick)
Chi.—Corral, 29 FG
Bos.—Walton, 10 run (Mazzetti kick)
Bos.—Crump, 6 run (Mazzetti kick)
Bos.—Crump, 9 pass from Walton (Mazzetti kick)
Chi.—Restic ran into end zone (safety)

	Blitz	Breakers
First Downs	17	8
Net Yards Gained	328	123
Rushing Yardage	226	53
Passing Yardage	102	70
Passes/Comp/Had Int.	27/10/0	23/10/1
Punts	8/45.5	11/44.3
Fumbles/Lost	2/2	2/1
Penalties	7/75	9/68

Rushing

Blitz—Spencer 22-90, Long 21-88, Boatner 3-36, Johnson 1-7, Koegel 1-5.
Breakers—T. Davis 15-38, Crump 9-15, D. Johnson 3-4, Walton 1-10, Lockett 1-7, Restic 1-(-21).

Passing

Blitz—Koegel 27-10-0-131-1TD.
Breakers—Walton 23-10-1-88-1TD

Receiving

Blitz—Ricker 4-28, Johnson 3-72, Dennison 2-10, Willis 1-21.
Breakers—Crump 4-18, Coash 2-18, Franz 1-50, Lockett 1-9, D. Johnson 1-1, Giammonia 1-(-8).

Punting

Blitz—Corral 8-45.5-621g.
Breakers—Casarino 11-44.3-661g.

GAME #15 **10-5**

Chicago Blitz 31, Tampa Bay Bandits 8
Soldier Field—Chicago, Ill.—June 12
21,249

Chicago controlled the ball for 39:06 in the game . . . building a 24-0 lead before Tampa Bay scored. Koegel threw 3 TD passes, two of them to Spencer and the other to Long. Bradley intercepted 2 more Bandit passes and Virgil Livers added a 3rd . . . for a two-game total of 9 interceptions against the Bandits. Turnovers resulted in 17 Chicago points. Tampa Bay rushers gained only a net of 57 yards.

Tampa Bay	0	0	8	0	8
Chicago	14	7	3	7	31

Chi.—Long, 6 pass from Koegel (Corral kick)
Chi.—Spencer, 43 pass from Koegel (Corral)
Chi.—Spencer, 3 run (Corral kick)
Chi.—Corral, 48 FG
T.B.—Gillespie, 23 pass from Kelly (Boone run) 2 pts.
Chi.—Spencer, 2 pass from Koegel (Corral kick)

	Blitz	Bandits
First Downs		
Net Yards Gained	274	209
Rushing Yardage	207	57
Passing Yardage	67	152
Passes/Comp/Had Int	20/11/1	37/11/3
Punts	5/42.8	8/39.0
Fumbles/Lost	2/1	2/1
Penalties	7/72	12/87

Rushing

Blitz—Spencer 22-83, Long 19-65, Boatner 5-41, Dennison 3-17, Poole 2-1.
Bandits—Boone 9-49, Anderson 5-8.

Passing

Blitz—Koegel 19-11-1-110-3TD, Johnson 1-0-0-0-0TD.
Bandits—Kelley 33-9-3-155-1TD, Jordon 4-2-0-34-0TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Spencer 3-52, Ricker 2-18, Dennison 2-11, Long 2-8, Buggs 1-14, Johnson 1-7.
Bandits—Gillespie 3-70, Truvillion 3-63, Boone 2-11, Buggs 1-19, Anderson 1-19, Young 1-7.

Punting

Blitz—Corral 5-42.8-701g.
Bandits—Andrusyshyn 8-39.0-661g.

GAME #16 **11-5**

Chicago Blitz 29, Birmingham Stallions 14
Legion Field—Birmingham, Ala.—June 17
(night) 23,459

A tight first half (14-12 Birmingham lead) transformed into Blitz ball control in the second. . .22:43 of Chicago offense, racking up 14 first downs, 206 yards and scoring 17 points. Koegel went down with a knee injury on the second series of the 1st quarter. Bobby Scott *(obtained in a trade with the New Jersey Generals following Landry's injury in the 12th game)* came off the bench to quarterback the Blitz to victory, . .throwing three TD passes to Johnson. Tim Spencer had his finest day as a pro. . .132 yards in 23 carries. . .to push him over the 1,000-yard mark. Chicago moved into first place in the Central Division (alone) for the first time.

Chicago	0	12	3	14	29
Birmingham	0	14	0	0	14

Chi.—Johnson, 12 pass from Scott (kick failed)
Bir.—Norwood, 33 FG
Bir.—Quarles, tackled Brown in end zone
Bir.—Mason, 20 pass from Lane (pass failed)
Chi.—Johnson, 19 pass from Scott (pass failed)
Bir.—Norwood, 32 FG
Chi.—Corral, 30 FG
Chi.—Johnson, 10 pass from Scott (Corral kick)
Chi.—Boatner, 15 run (Corral kick)

	Blitz	Stallions
First Downs	26	13
Net Yards Gained	392	223
Rushing Yardage	241	105
Passing Yardage	151	118
Passes/Comp/Had Int	22/11/2	26/8/2
Punts	5/43.8	8/43.0
Fumbles/Lost	1/1	2/1
Penalties	13/143	9/89

Rushing

Blitz—Spencer 23-132, Long 20-67, Boatner 4-28, Dennison 5-14, Scott 1-0.
Stallions—Talton 12-30, Williams 2-17, Quarles 2-16, Johnson 5-14, Gant 4-14, Lane 2-7, White 1-7.

Passing

Blitz—Scott 20-11-1-168-3TD, Koegel 2-0-0-0-0TD.
Stallions—Lane 19-6-2-98-1TD, Williams 7-2-0-48-0TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Johnson 4-55, Willis 3-70, Buggs 2-20, Ricker 1-19, Spencer 1-4.
Stallions—Anderson 2-45, Mason 2-31, Moy 1-53, Stephen 1-9, Talton 1-5, Kincaid 1-3.

Punting

Blitz—Corral 5-43.8-481g.
Stallions—Johnson 8-43.0-631g.

GAME #17 **11-6**

Michigan Panthers 34, Chicago Blitz 19
Soldier Field—Chicago, Ill.—June 26 25,041

A victory would have clinched the Central Division title for the Blitz. . .but Michigan dominated Chicago. . .moving to a 27-3 lead with 6:44 remaining in the 3rd quarter. The Blitz charged back, scoring 16 points in the 4th quarter to close to a 27-19 margin. However, the Panthers drove 77 yards in 6 plays to ice its victory on a 32-yard TD pass. Michigan quarterback Bobby Hebert stunned the Blitz secondary with 5 TD passes and 257 net passing yards. The Panthers had 404 yards in total offense. . .the Blitz had 392. Scott passed for 345 yards, but was sacked 6 times.

Michigan	7	14	6	7	34
Chicago	0	3	0	16	19

Mich.—Lacy, 39 pass from Hebert (Bojovic kick)
Mich.—Carter, 35 pass from Hebert (Bojovic kick)
Chi.—Corral, 34 FG
Mich.—Holloway, 42 pass from Hebert (Bojovic kick)
Mich.—Holloway, 15 pass from Hebert (kick failed)
Chi.—Long, 4 run (pass failed)
Chi.—Corral, 40 FG
Chi.—Johnson, 9 pass from Scott (Corral kick)
Mich.—Carter, 32 pass from Hebert (Bojovic kick)

	Blitz	Panthers
First Downs	27	16
Net Yards Gained	392	404
Rushing Yardage	98	147
Passing Yardage	294	257
Passes/Comp/Had Int	39/22/1	20/13/1
Punts	4/37.3	5/43.2
Fumbles/Lost	2/1	3/1
Penalties	10/85	13/102

Rushing

Blitz—Long 10-33, Spencer 10-29, Dennison 3-12, Scott 3-11, Boatner 3-7, Johnson 1-6.
Panthers—Lacy 21-77, C. Miller 7-44, Williams 5-29, Herbert 1-(-3).

Passing

Blitz—Scott 39-22-1-345-1TD.
Panthers—Hebert 20-13-1-265-5TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Johnson 8-138, Wrightman 6-86, Dennison 3-45, Boatner 2-41, Anderson 1-13, Ricker 1-11, Buggs 1-11.
Panthers—Carter 8-143, Holloway, 3-64, Lacy 1-19, Cobb 1-19.

Punting

Blitz—Corral 4-37.3-551g.
Panthers—Greenwood 5-43.2-561g.

GAME #18 **12-6**

Chicago Blitz 31, Oakland Invaders 7 Soldier Field—Chicago, Ill.—July 3 12,346

A "must" win situation for the Blitz. . .Chicago scored on its first two possessions for a 10-0 half-time lead. In the 3rd quarter, the Blitz secondary intercepted 3 Invader passes. . .two of them went for TDs (45 yards by strong safety Don Schwartz and 34 yards by free safety Eddie Brown). In the 4th quarter, reserve free safety Ted Walton intercepted a 4th Oakland pass, returned it 31 yards to set up a 4th Chicago TD.

Oakland	0	0	0	7	7
Chicago	10	0	14	7	31

Chi.—Spencer, 4 run (Corral kick)
Chi.—Corral, 52 FG
Chi.—Schwartz, 45 interception return (Corral kick)
Chi.—Brown, 34 interception return (Corral kick)
Oak.—Torosian, 2 run (Shea kick)
Chi.—Easley 1 run (Corral kick)

	Blitz	Invaders
First Downs	16	10
Net Yards Gained	287	176
Rushing Yardage	173	57
Passing Yardage	114	119
Passes/Comp/Had Int.	20/11/0	36/16/4
Punts	6/32.6	7/51.7
Fumbles/Lost	3/0	1/0
Penalties	5/40	9/86

Rushing

Blitz—Boatner 9-62, Long 11-29, Scott 5-23, Easley 7-23, Spencer 11-18, Johnson 1-12, Dennison 2-5, Rozantz 1-1
Invaders—Jackson 11-36, Torosian 7-15, Livingston 1-6.

Passing

Blitz—Scott 19-10-0-126-0TD, Rozantz 1-1-0-10-0TD.
Invaders—Livingston 23-8-4-127-0TD, Besana 13-8-0-61-0TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Long 3-36, Johnson 2-45, Ricker 2-23, Spencer 1-10, Easley 1-10, Willis 1-6, Dennison 1-6.
Invaders—Jackson 5-29, Chester 2-71, Banks 2-20, Torosian 2-20, Holmes 2-12, Henderson 1-17, Wheeler 1-13, James 1-6.

Punting

Blitz—Corral 6-32.6-381g.
Invaders—Talley 7-51.7-751g.

USFL PLAYOFFS

Philadelphia Stars 44, Chicago Blitz 38 (OT)

Veterans Stadium—Philadelphia, Pa.—July 9, 1983 15,684

Close but no cigar for the second time in Veterans Stadium. The Blitz seemingly destined for the USFL title game in Denver after leading the Stars by 21 points with less than 12 minutes left in the contest, dropped a heart-breaking 44-38 OT decision to the Stars. Statistically Philadelphia bludgeoned Chicago (556 to 218 net yards total offense) but the Blitz capitalized on seven Philadelphia miscues. Chicago led only 21-14 at halftime but opened up an apparent insurmountable 21 point lead in an 11 minute span in the middle of the second half. All-USFL running back Kelvin Bryant led the Stars attack by rushing for 142 yards on 21 carries and scoring two TDS—including the winning score with 7:02 elapsed in OT. The real hero, however, was Philadelphia signal-caller Chuck Fusina. After completing three of 7 for 27 yards for three interceptions in the opening half, the former Penn State standout completed 19 of 26 passes for 226 yards and three TD tosses—all in the final quarter. Fusina tosses an 11-yard scoring strike to former Penn State teammate Tom Donovan with 50 seconds left to send the game into sudden death. Blitz fullback Kevin Long led the Chicago attack by rushing for 76 yards on 21 carries and one TD. Chicago tight end Paul Ricker led the Blitz receiving corps by hauling in five passes for 57 yards.

Chicago	7	14	10	7	0	38
Philadelphia	0	14	0	24	6	44

Chi.—Long, 1 run (Corral kick)
Chi.—Scott, 3 run (Corral kick)
Phi.—Bryant, 10 run (Trout kick)
Chi.—Johnson, 12 pass from Scott (Corral kick)
Phi.—Fusina, 12 pass from Harvin (Corral kick)
Chi.—Boatner, 12 pass from Scott (Corral kick)
Chi.—Corral, 32 FG
Phi.—Trout, 42 FG
Chi.—Spencer, 1 run (Corral kick)
Phi.—Fitzkee, 17 pass from Fusina (Trout kick)
Phi.—Rodenberger, 2 pass from Fusina (Trout kick)
Phi.—Donovan, 11 pass from Fusina (Trout kick)
Phi.—Bryant, 1 run (7:02)

	Blitz	Stars
First Downs	13	33
Net Yards Gained	218	556
Rushing Yardage	138	306
Passing Yardage	80	250
Passes/Comp/Had Int	14/8/1	34/23/4
Punts	4	0
Fumbles/Lost	2/1	3/3
Penalties	8/51	7/81

Rushing

Blitz—Long 21-76, Spencer 12-34, Boatner 3-11, Scott 2-9, Dennison 2-8.
Stars—Bryant 24-142, Harvin 20-87, Fusina 7-66, Riley 3-11.

Passing

Blitz—Scott 14-8-1-96-2TD.
Stars—Fusina 33-22-4-254-3TD, Harvin 1-1-0-12-0TD.

Receiving

Blitz—Ricker 5-57, Johnson 2-27, Boatner 1-12
Starts—Fitzkee 6-102, Harvin 4-45, Donovan 3-22, Collier, 2-37, Bryant 2-14, Riley 2-12, Fusina 1-12, Folsom 1-6, Parker 1-4, Rodenberger 1-2.

Punting

Blitz—Corral 4-45.3-491g.
Stars—NONE

Punt Returns

Blitz—NONE
Stars—Woerner 3-18.4-381g.

Kickoff Returns

Blitz—Willis 3-18.9-271g.
Stars—Harvin 1-23-231g, Riley 1-17-171g.

Interceptions

Blitz—Allen 1-20-201g, Bradley 1-10-101g, Brown 1-8-81g, Livers 1-0
Stars—Sutton 1-0

CHICAGO BLITZ FINAL 1983 18 GAME STATISTICS

RESULTS AND ATTENDANCE (12-6-0)

(W)	Chicago	28	at Washington	7		38,010
(L)	Chicago	29	at Arizona	30		28,434
(L)	Chicago	13	DENVER	16		21,949
(W)	Chicago	20	LOS ANGELES	14		10,936
(W)	Chicago	42	at Tampa Bay	3		46,585
(W)	Chicago	22	BIRMINGHAM	11		13,859
(L)	Chicago	12	at Michigan	17		11,634
(W)	Chicago	17	NEW JERSEY	14	(OT)	32,182
(W)	Chicago	38	at Los Angeles	17		21,123
(W)	Chicago	31	WASHINGTON	3		11,300
(L)	Chicago	24	at Philadelphia	31		25,251
(W)	Chicago	19	at New Jersey	13	(OT)	33,812
(W)	Chicago	36	ARIZONA	11		13,952
(L)	Chicago	15	at Boston	21		15,087
(W)	Chicago	31	TAMPA BAY	8		21,249
(W)	Chicago	29	at Birmingham	14		23,459
(L)	Chicago	19	MICHIGAN	34		25,041
(W)	Chicago	31	OAKLAND	7		12,346
			Total Attendance:			**406,209**

TEAM STATISTICS

	Chicago	Opponents
TIME OF POSSESSION	10:01:44	8:14:22
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	356	252
By Rushing	138	107
By Passing	172	115
By Penalty	46	30
No. 1st Dn Plays	550	454
Yds on 1st Dn Plays	2808	2121
Pct–5 or more Yds on 1st Dn	38.4%	36.1%
THIRD DOWN-MADE/ATT	111/281	71/255
Third Down Efficiency	39.5%	27.8%
TOTAL NET YARDS	5960	4482
Avg Gain per Game	331.1	249.0
Total Offensive Plays	1272	1090
Avg Gain per Play	4.7	4.1
NET YARDS RUSHING	2769	2105
Avg Gain per Game	153.8	116.9
Total Rushing Plays	716	535
Avg Gain per Rush	3.9	3.9
NET YARDS PASSING	3191	2377
Avg Net Passing per Game	177.3	132.1
Plays/Yds Lost Pass Atts	52/409	60/521
Attempts/Completions	506/275	495/240
Percent Completed	54.3	48.5
Had Intercepted	14	37
PUNTS/AVERAGE	94/39.0	123/39.1
Net Punting Average	33.3	33.0
PUNT RETURNS/AVERAGE	58/9.4	39/7.0
KICKOFF RETURNS/AVERAGE	49/17.9	79/16.2
INTERCEPTS/YARDS RETURNED	37/465	14/130
PENALTIES/YARDS	129/1138	148/1145
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	40/16	52/20
TOUCHDOWNS	54	33
1 Point PATs	46/49	22/28
2 Point PATs	1/4	4/5
Field Goals	26/48	13/20
Safeties	3	2
TOTAL POINTS	456	271
AVG. PER GAME	25.3	15.1

SCORE BY QUARTERS

CHICAGO	102	124	99	122	9	–	456
OPPONENTS	31	73	68	99	0	–	271

1983 CHICAGO BLITZ
DEFENSIVE STATISTICS—18 GAMES

	T	A	Total Tack.	Passes Def.	Sacks	Yds. Lost	T for Loss	Yds. Lost	Fum. Rec.	Fum. Forced
RUSHMEN										
Ah You	31	23	54	4	14	120½	9½	25½	–	3
Buben	9	6	15	1	6	40	2½	5½	–	1
Ehrmann	41	32	73	6	18	102½	5½	18½	–	4
Gillen	–	1	1	–	1	9	½	1	–	–
Lathrop	61	35	96	7	9	74	8	15	3	7
Lee	14	5	19	2	5	35	1½	3	–	–
Lorch	43	24	67	4	7	53	6	15	1	1
LINEBACKERS										
Fahnhorst	90	65	155	5	1	9	3	7	4	2
Field	22	7	29	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Gheesling	15	1	16	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Melontree	13	3	16	–	–	–	–	–	1	–
Smith	97	47	144	8	2	9	9	34	4	3
White	74	48	122	8	4	34	5	20	3	2
SECONDARY										
Allen	26	4	30	1	1	8	1	7	–	–
Bradley	45	11	56	7	–	–	1	1	1	1
Brown	30	7	37	5	1	9	3	5	–	1
Livers	48	6	54	11	–	–	–	–	–	–
Minniefield	1	–	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
Schwartz	63	23	86	12	1	10	5	11	–	2
Shields	48	17	65	14	–	–	2½	3½	2	1
Walton	10	3	13	1	–	–	–	–	–	–
SPECIAL TEAMS										
Anderson	7	3	10	–	–	1	1	–	–	–
Boatner	9	4	13	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Corral	3	2	5	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cozen	13	3	16	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
Dennison	1	3	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Stone	2	2	4	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Thomas	2	1	3	–	–	–	–	–	1	1
Willis	11	3	14	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Wrightman	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
OTHERS										
Barnes	1	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Buggs	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Johnson	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Koegel	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ricker	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Spencer	1	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

BLOCKED KICKS

Anderson (punt); Thomas (field goal & extra point). The blocked punt and field goal resulted in Blitz scores (14 points).

TURNOVERS

BLITZ DEFENSE: Intercepted 37 passes; recovered 20 fumbles. . .57 +27
(The Blitz scored 140 points off turnovers. . .30.7% of the team's league-leading total of 456 points.)

OPP. DEFENSE: Intercepted 14 passes; recovered 16 fumbles. . .30
Blitz opponents scored 51 points off Blitz turnovers. . .
18.8% of the opposition's total of 271 points.)

CHICAGO BLITZ INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

PASSING	ATT	COMP	YDS	PCT	AV/ATT	TD	TDPCT	INT	IPCT	LG	TK/LOST
Landry	334	188	2383	56.3	7.13	16	4.8	9	2.7	52	31/233
Scott	78	43	639	55.1	8.19	4	5.1	3	3.8	34	11/90
Koegel	89	42	557	47.2	6.26	5	5.6	2	2.2	56	10/86
Rozantz	3	2	21	66.7	7.00	0	0.0	0	0.0	11	0/0
Spencer	1	0	0	0.0	0.00	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0/0
Johnson	1	0	0	0.0	0.00	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0/0
CHICAGO	506	275	3600	54.3	7.11	25	4.9	14	2.8	56	52/409
OPPONENTS	496	240	2898	48.5	5.85	18	3.6	37	7.5	57	60/521

RECEIVING

	NO	YDS	AVE	LG	TD
Johnson	81	1322	16.3	56	10
Buggs	40	493	12.3	26	0
Ricker	39	493	12.6	43	5
Spencer	38	362	9.5	43T	2
Long	28	192	6.9	23	1
Willis	19	366	19.3	42T	5
Dennison	15	166	11.1	31	1
Wrightman	6	86	14.3	24	0
Anderson	4	42	10.5	13	0
Boatner	3	63	21.0	23	0
Easley	1	10	10.0	10	0
Cozen	1	5	5.0	5T	1
CHICAGO	275	3600	13.1	56	25
OPPONENTS	240	2898	12.1	57	18

INTERCEPTIONS

	NO	YDS	AVE	LG	TD
Bradley	12	167	13.9	93T	1
Brown	6	88	14.7	35	1
Smith	5	8	1.6	5	0
Livers	4	43	10.8	24	0
Schwartz	3	45	15.0	45T	1
Shields	3	44	44.0	44T	1
Walton	1	31	31.0	31	0
Fahnhorst	1	19	19.0	19	0
White	1	15	15.0	15	0
Lorch	1	5	5.0	5	0
Allen	1	0	0.0	0	0
Tyler	1	0	0.0	0	0
CHICAGO	37	465	12.6	93T	4
OPPONENTS	14	130	9.3	23	0

RUSHING

	ATT	YDS	AVE	LG	TD
Spencer	300	1157	3.9	25	6
Long	262	1022	3.9	33	12
Boatner	45	256	5.7	32	1
Dennison	42	134	3.2	10	0
Landry	21	67	3.2	11	1
Stone	15	41	2.7	8	1
Johnson	7	40	5.7	12	0
Scott	9	34	3.8	11	0
Easley	7	23	3.3	8	1
Koegel	4	8	1.5	5T	1
Poole	2	1	0.5	2	0
Rozantz	1	2	1.0	1	0
Garcia	1	-13	-13.0	-13	0
CHICAGO	716	2769	3.9	33	23
OPPONENTS	535	2105	3.9	34	14

FGS	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	TOTAL
Corral	1- 1	6- 8	8-19	6-11	1- 2	22-41
Roveto	0- 0	2- 2	2- 4	0- 1	0- 0	4- 7
CHICAGO	1- 1	8-10	10-23	6-12	1- 2	26-48
OPPONENTS	0- 0	3- 3	8-10	2- 6	0- 1	13-20

Roveto (27*, 33, 38*) (38*, 24*, 45) (37)
Corral (37, 52) (30*) (20*, 42*, 30) (25*, 32, 45*)
(34, 35, 27*) (28*) (41, 36*) (32, 37*) (39, 32, 20*, 35*)
(37, 40*, 36*, 47*, 48, 25, 18*) (33*, 29*, 40, 27) (41, 48*)
(30*) (38, 34*, 40*) (52*, 48, 39) *Indicates Good

SCORING

	TD	FGS	1XP	2XP	SF	TP
Corral	0	22-41	37-40	1-0	0	105
Long	13	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	78
Johnson	10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	60
Spencer	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	48
Willis	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	36
Ricker	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	30
Roveto	0	4-7	9-9	0-0	0	21
Boatner	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Bradley	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Brown	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Buggs	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Cozen	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Dennison	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Easley	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Koegel	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Landry	1	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	6
Schwartz	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Shields	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Stone	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	6
Lathrop	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	2
Rozantz	0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0
Scott	0	0-0	0-0	0-2	0	0
Team	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	4
CHICAGO	54	26-48	46-49	1-4	3	456
OPPONENTS	33	13-20	22-28	4-5	2	271

PUNTING

	NO	YDS	AVE	TB	I20	LG	BK
Corral	74	2989	40.4	11	24	70	—
Garcia	18	675	37.5	2	8	54	—
Team	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	2
CHICAGO	94	3664	39.0	13	32	70	2
OPPONENTS	123	4808	39.1	10	16	75	1

PUNT RETURNS

	NO	YDS	AVE	FC	LG	TD
Willis	54	489	9.1	14	40T	1
Brown	2	29	14.5	1	18	0
Johnson	1	26	26.0	1	26	0
Anderson	1	0	0.0	0	0	0
CHICAGO	58	544	9.4	16	40T	1
OPPONENTS	39	273	7.0	7	41	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

	NO	YDS	AVE	LG	TD
Willis	30	626	20.9	39	0
Stone	6	102	17.0	23	0
Brown	6	55	9.2	25	0
Dennison	4	56	14.0	27	0
Anderson	1	18	18.0	18	0
Melontree	1	6	6.0	6	0
Buben	1	0	0.0	0	0
Douglas	0	16	0.0	16	0
CHICAGO	49	879	17.9	39	0
OPPONENTS	79	1282	16.2	41	0

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TOP BLITZ PERFORMANCES

MOST TOUCHDOWNS SCORED

3	Trumaine Johnson, at Birmingham	6/17/83
3	Tim Spencer, vs Tampa Bay	6/12/83
2	Paul Ricker, at Arizona	3/12/83
2	Trumaine Johnson, at Tampa Bay	4/2/83
2	Paul Ricker at Los Angeles	5/1/83
2	Tim Spencer, vs Washington	5/8/83
2	Kevin Long, vs Washington	5/8/83

MOST YARDS RUSHING

132	Tim Spencer (23 car.) at Birmingham	6/17/83
106	Tim Spencer (19 car.) vs Birmingham	4/10/83
102	Kevin Long (19 car.) vs Arizona	5/30/83
90	Tim Spencer (16 car.) vs Arizona	5/30/83
90	Tim Spencer (22 car.) at Boston	6/6/83
88	Kevin Long (21 car.) at Boston	6/6/83
87	Tim Spencer (21 car.) vs Los Angeles	3/27/83
83	Tim Spencer (22 car.) vs Tampa Bay	6/12/83
82	Tim Spencer (20 car.) vs Denver	3/20/83
80	Kevin Long (23 car.) vs Denver	3/20/83

MOST ATTEMPTS RUSHING

23	Kevin Long (80 yds.) vs Denver	3/20/83
23	Tim Spencer (132 yds.) at Birmingham	6/17/83
22	Tim Spencer (90 yds.) at Boston	6/6/83
22	Tim Spencer (83 yds.) vs Tampa Bay	6/12/83
21	Kevin Long (88 yds.) at Boston	6/6/83
20	Tim Spencer (82 yds.) vs Denver	3/20/83
19	Tim Spencer (106 yds.) vs Birmingham	4/10/83

MOST YARDS PASSING

345	Bobby Scott (22 of 39) vs Michigan	6/26/83
277	Greg Landry (19 of 26) at Tampa Bay	4/2/83
268	Greg Landry (24 of 36) at Arizona	3/12/83
251	Greg Landry (19 of 27) at Washington	3/6/83
246	Greg Landry (22 of 35) vs New Jersey	4/25/83
240	Greg Landry (15 of 33) at New Jersey	5/22/83

MOST ATTEMPTS PASSING

39	Bobby Scott (22 comp.) vs Michigan	6/26/83
36	Greg Landry (20 comp.) at Arizona	3/12/83
36	Greg Landry (20 comp.) vs Los Angeles	3/27/83
35	Greg Landry (22 comp.) vs New Jersey	4/25/83
33	Greg Landry (15 comp.) at New Jersey	5/22/83
30	Greg Landry (12 comp.) at Michigan	4/17/83

MOST COMPLETIONS PASSING

24	Greg Landry (36 atts.) at Arizona	3/12/83
22	Greg Landry (35 atts.) vs New Jersey	4/25/83
22	Bobby Scott (39 atts.) vs Michigan	6/26/83
20	Greg Landry (36 atts.) vs Los Angeles	3/27/83
19	Greg Landry (29 atts.) at Tampa Bay	4/2/83
19	Greg Landry (27 atts.) at Washington	3/6/83

MOST RECEPTIONS

11	Trumaine Johnson (158 yds) at Washington	3/6/83
8	Trumaine Johnson (148 yds) vs Michigan	6/26/83
7	Trumaine Johnson (146 yds) at Tampa Bay	4/2/83
7	Wamon Buggs (96 yds) at Arizona	3/12/83
6	Trumaine Johnson (97 yds) vs New Jersey	4/25/83
6	Tim Wrightman (86 yds) vs Michigan	6/26/83
6	Trumaine Johnson (82 yds) at Philadelphia	5/15/83
6	Trumaine Johnson (70 yds) vs Los Angeles	3/27/83
6	Tim Spencer (29 yds) vs Arizona	5/30/83

MOST RECEPTION YARDS

158	Trumaine Johnson (11 rec) at Washington	3/6/83
148	Trumaine Johnson (8 rec) vs Michigan	6/26/83
146	Trumaine Johnson (7 rec) at Tampa Bay	4/2/83
117	Trumaine Johnson (4 rec) vs Arizona	5/30/83
105	Trumaine Johnson (4 rec) at Los Angeles	5/1/83
97	Trumaine Johnson (6 rec) vs New Jersey	4/25/83
96	Wamon Buggs (7 rec) at Arizona	3/12/83
86	Tim Wrightman (6 rec) vs Michigan	6/26/83
82	Trumaine Johnson (6 rec) at Philadelphia	5/15/83
77	Wamon Buggs (5 rec) at New Jersey	5/22/83

TOP OPPONENTS' PERFORMANCES

MOST TOUCHDOWNS SCORED

2	Kelvin Bryant, Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia	5/15/83
2	Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals, at New Jersey	5/22/83
2	Richard Crump, Boston Breakers, at Boston	6/6/83
2	Anthony Carter, Michigan Panthers	6/26/83
2	Derek Holloway, Michigan Panthers	6/26/83

MOST YARDS RUSHING

141	(33 car) Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals, at N.J.	5/22/83
138	(36 car) Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals	4/25/83
133	(19 car) John Williams, Michigan Panthers, at Michigan	4/17/83
98	(23 car) Kelvin Bryant, Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia	5/15/83
87	(12 car) Chuck Fusina, Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia	5/15/83

MOST ATTEMPTS RUSHING

36	(138 yds.) Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals	4/25/83
33	(141 yds.) Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals, at N.J.	5/22/83
23	(98 yds.) Kelvin Bryant, Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia	5/15/83
22	(75 yds.) Craig James, Washington Federals	5/8/83
21	(77 yds.) Ken Lacy, Michigan Panthers	6/26/83

MOST YARDS PASSING

269	Alan Risher (28 of 40) Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona	3/12/83
265	Bobby Hebert (13 of 20) Michigan Panthers	6/26/83
196	Tom Ramsey (14 of 25) Los Angeles Express, at L.A.	5/1/83
187	Chuck Fusina (16 of 28) Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia	5/15/83
180	John Reaves (12 of 29) Tampa Bay Bandits, at Tampa Bay	4/2/83

MOST ATTEMPTS PASSING

40	Alan Risher (28 comp.) Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona	3/12/83
33	Mike Kelly (9 comp.) Tampa Bay Bandits	6/12/83
29	John Reaves (12 comp.) Tampa Bay Bandits, at Tampa Bay	4/2/83
28	Mike Hohensee (16 comp.) Washington Federals, at Washington	3/6/83
28	Chuck Fusina (16 comp.) Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia	5/15/83

MOST COMPLETIONS PASSING

28	Alan Risher (40 atts.) Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona	3/12/83
19	Bobby Hebert (29 atts.) Michigan Panthers, at Michigan	4/17/83
16	Chuck Fusina (28 atts.) Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia	5/15/83
16	Mike Hohensee (28 atts.) Washington Federals, at Washington	3/6/83
15	Alan Risher (24 atts.) Arizona Wranglers	5/30/83

MOST RECEPTIONS

9	Neil Balholm (91 yds.) Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona	3/12/83
8	Anthony Carter (143 yds.) Michigan Panthers	6/26/83
8	Ricky Ellis (69 yds.) Los Angeles Express, at L.A.	5/1/83
6	Kris Haines (106 yds.) Los Angeles Express, at L.A.	5/1/83
6	Mark Keel (64 yds.) Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona	3/12/83
6	Calvin Murray (36 yds.) Arizona Wranglers	5/30/83

MOST RECEPTION YARDS

143	Anthony Carter (8 rec) Michigan Panthers	6/26/83
106	Kris Haines (6 rec) Los Angeles Express, at L.A.	5/1/83
91	Neil Balholm (9 rec) Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona	3/12/83
79	Willie Collier (5 rec) Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelplhia	5/15/83
76	Mike Cobb (5 rec) Michigan Panthers, at Michigan	4/17/83

BLITZ TEAM SUPERLATIVES FOR 1983

(Regular Season)

Category	Chicago	Opponents
Total First Downs	27 vs Michigan	25 @ Arizona
By Rushing	11 vs Birmingham, vs Arizona	12 @ New Jersey
By Passing	17 vs Michigan	15 @ Arizona
By Penalty	7 @ Arizona	4 vs New Jersey
Third Down Efficiency	9-16-.563 vs Birmingham 10-18-.560 vs Tampa Bay	8-15-.530 @ Arizona
Total Net Yards	466 vs Arizona	440 @ Arizona
Total Offensive Plays	81 vs Arizona	78 vs New Jersey
Average Gain Per Play	5.8 vs Arizona 5.8 @ Tampa Bay	7.3 vs Michigan
Net Yards Rushing	253 vs Arizona	225 @ New Jersey
Total Rushing Plays	53 @ Birmingham	53 vs New Jersey
Average Gain Per Rush	5.3 vs Birmingham	5.5 vs Birmingham
Net Yards Passing	294 vs Michigan	289 @ Arizona
Times Sacked	6 vs Michigan	9 vs Oakland
Yards Lost	51 vs Michigan	72 vs Birmingham
Gross Yards Passing	345 vs Michigan	297 @ Arizona
Passing Attempts	42 @ New Jersey	41 @ Arizona
Completions	24 @ Arizona	29 @ Arizona
Had Intercepted	3 @ New Jersey	6 @ Tampa Bay
Punts	9 vs New Jersey	11 @ Boston
Average	46.6 @ New Jersey	51.7 vs Oakland
Had Blocked	1 vs New Jersey	1 @ Los Angeles
Total Return Yards	213 @ Tampa Bay	173 @ Michigan
Punt Return Yards	56 vs Arizona	68 @ Michigan
Kickoff Return Yards	105 @ Michigan	117 @ Tampa Bay
Interceptions	6 @ Tampa Bay	3 @ New Jersey
Interception Yards	127 @ Tampa Bay	29 @ Michigan
Penalties	13 @ Birmingham	19 @ Arizona
Yards	143 @ Birmingham	130 @ Arizona
Fumbles	5 vs Denver	9 vs Arizona
Lost	2 (several times)	4 vs Arizona

Touch Downs	6 @ Tampa Bay	5 vs Michigan
Rushing	4 vs Washington	3 @ Philadelphia
Passing	3 (several times)	5 vs Michigan
Returns	2 vs Oakland	1 vs New Jersey
Extra Points (Made)	6 @ Tampa Bay	5 vs Michigan
Attempted	6 @ Tampa Bay	5 vs Michigan
Field Goals	4 vs Arizona	3 @ Arizona
Attempted	7 vs Arizona	4 @ Arizona
Time of Possession	39:06 vs Tampa Bay	36.41 vs New Jersey

CHICAGO BLITZ INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

Longest Run from scrimage	33 yds. Kevin Long, at Michigan	4/17/83
Longest Pass from scrimage	56 yds. Tim Koegel, vs Arizona	5/30/83
Longest Kickoff Return	39 yds. Lenny Willis, at Michigan	4/17/83
Longest Punt Return	40 yds. Lenny Willis, vs Arizona	5/30/83
Longest Interception Return	93 yds. Luther Bradley, at Tampa Bay	4/2/83
Longest Punt	70 yds. Frank Corral, vs Tampa Bay	6/12/83
Longest Field Goal	52 yds. Frank Corral, vs Oakland	7/3/83
Most Rushing Attempts	23 Kevin Long, vs Denver	3/20/83
	23 Tim Spencer, at Birmingham	6/17/83
Most Yards Rushing	132 Tim Spencer, at Birmingham	6/17/83
Most Pass Attempts	39 Bobby Scott, vs Michigan	6/26/83
Most Pass Completions	24 Greg Landry, at Arizona	3/12/83
Most Yards Passing	345 Bobby Scott, vs Michigan	6/26/83
Most Receptions	11 Trumaine Johnson, at Washington	3/6/83
Most Yards Receiving	158 Trumaine Johnson, at Washington	3/6/83
Most Touchdown Passes	3 Greg Landry, at Arizona	3/12/83
	3 Greg Landry, at Los Angeles	5/1/83
	3 Tim Koegel, vs Tampa Bay	6/12/83
	3 Bobby Scott, at Birmingham	6/17/83
Most Touchdowns Receiving	3 Trumaine Johnson, at Birmingham	6/17/83
Most Touchdowns Rushing	2 Tim Spencer, vs Washington	5/8/83
	2 Kevin Long, vs Washington	5/8/83
Most Field Goals	4 Frank Corral, vs Arizona	5/30/83
Most Solo Tackles	10 Ed Smith, at Philadelphia	5/15/83
Most Sacks	2 (6 players tied)	
	Junior Ah You, vs Arizona (most recent)	5/30/83

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1983 UNITED STATES FOOTBALL LEAGUE ALL-LEAGUE TEAMS

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

WR	**TRUMAINE JOHNSON, CHICAGO**
	Eric Truvillion, Tampa Bay
T	**Irv Eatman**, Philadelphia
	Ray Pinney, Michigan
G	**Buddy Aydelette**, Birmingham
	Thom Dornbrook, Michigan
C	**Bobby Van Duyne**, Tampa Bay
TE	**Raymond Chester**, Oakland
QB	**Bobby Hebert**, Michigan
RB	**Herschel Walker**, New Jersey
	Kelvin Bryant, Philadelphia

FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

DE	**Mike Raines**, Birmingham
	KIT LATHROP, CHICAGO
NT	**Fred Nordgren**, Tampa Bay
OLB	**John Corker**, Michigan
	STAN WHITE, CHICAGO
ILB	**Sam Mills**, Philadelphia
	Marcus Marek, Boston
CB	**Jeff George**, Tampa Bay
	David Martin, Denver
S	**LUTHER BRADLEY, CHICAGO**
	Scott Woerner, Philadelphia

FIRST TEAM SPECIALISTS

K	**Tim Mazzetti**, Boston
P	**Stan Talley**, Oakland
KR	**Eric Robinson**, Washington
PR	**David Martin**, Denver

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

WR	**Anthony Carter**, Michigan
	Jim Smith, Birmingham
T	**Pat Phenix**, Birmingham
	Louis Bullard, Boston
G	**Tyrone McGriff**, Michigan
	# **Glenn Hyde**, Denver
C	**Tom Banks**, Birmingham
TE#	**Mark Keel**, Arizona
QB	**Fred Besana**, Oakland
RB	**Arthur Whittington**, Oakland
	Ken Lacy, Michigan

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

DE	**Ken Times**, Tampa Bay
	KARL LORCH, CHICAGO
NT	**Dave Tipton**, Michigan
OLB	**Ben Needham**, Boston
	ED SMITH, CHICAGO
ILB	**Putt Choate**, Denver
	Paul Piurowski, Tampa Bay
CB	**Mike Williams**, New Jersey
	Clarence Chapman, Michigan
S	**David Greenwood**, Michigan
	David Dumars, Denver

SECOND TEAM SPECIALISTS

K	**David Trout**, Philadelphia
P	**Sean Landeta**, Philadelphia
KR	**Thomas Lott**, New Jersey
PR	**LENNY WILLIS, CHICAGO**

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OFFENSE

WR	**TRUMAINE JOHNSON, CHICAGO**
	Eric Truvillion, Tampa Bay
TE	**Raymond Chester**, Oakland
T	**Irv Eatman**, Philadelphia
	Ray Pinney, Michigan
G	**Buddy Aydelette**, Birmingham
	Tyrone McGriff, Michigan
C	**Bart Oates**, Philadelphia
QB	**Bobby Hebert**, Michigan
RB	**Herschel Walker**, New Jersey
	Kelvin Bryant, Philadelphia

SPECIALISTS

PK	**Tim Mazzetti**, Boston
P	**Sean Landeta**, Philadelphia
KR	**Eric Robinson**, Washington
PR	**Anthony Carter**, Michigan

DEFENSE

DE	**Mike Raines**, Birmingham
	Calvin Turner, Denver
DT	**KIT LATHROP, CHICAGO**
	Eddie Weaver, Los Angeles
OLB	**John Corker**, Michigan
	Ben Needham, Boston
ILB	**Ray Bentley**, Michigan
	Sam Mills, Philadelphia
CB	**David Martin**, Denver
	Clarence Chapman, Michigan
S	**David Greenwood**, Michigan
S	**Scott Woerner**, Philadelphia

PLAYER OF THE YEAR
Bobby Hebert, Michigan

COACH OF THE YEAR
Dick Coury, Boston

EXECUTIVE OF THE YEAR
Carl Peterson, Philadelphia

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PLAYER OF THE YEAR—Kelvin Bryant, Philadelphia
COACH OF THE YEAR—Dick Coury, Boston

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OFFENSE

WR	**TRUMAINE JOHNSON, CHICAGO**
	Anthony Carter, Michigan
TE	**Raymond Chester**, Oakland
T	**Irv Eatman**, Philadelphia
	Ray Pinney, Michigan
G	**Buddy Aydelette**, Birmingham
	Tyrone McGriff, Michigan
C	**Bobby Van Duyne**, Tampa Bay
QB	**Bobby Hebert**, Michigan
RB	**Herschel Walker**, New Jersey
	Kelvin Bryant, Philadelphia

DEFENSE

DE	**Mike Raines**, Birmingham
	Jackie Cline, Birmingham
DT	**KIT LATHROP, CHICAGO**
	JOE EHRMANN, CHICAGO
NT	**Fred Nordgren**, Tampa Bay
LB	**John Corker**, Michigan
	Sam Mills, Philadelphia
	Marcus Marek, Boston
	Putt Choate, Denver
CB	**David Martin**, Denver
	Jeff George, Tampa Bay
S	**LUTHER BRADLEY, CHICAGO**
	David Greenwood, Michigan

SPECIALISTS

PK	**Tim Mazzetti**, Boston
P	**Sean Landeta**, Philadelphia
KR	**Eric Robinson**, Washington
PR	**David Martin**, Denver

COLLEGE AND PRO FOOTBALL NEWSWEEKLY

OFFENSE

WR	**TRUMAINE JOHNSON, CHICAGO**
	Eric Truvillion, Tampa Bay
TE	**Raymond Chester**, Oakland
OL	**Gerry Raymond**, Boston
	Tyrone McGriff, Michigan
	Ray Pinney, Michigan
	Buddy Aydelette, Birmingham
C	**Bart Oates**, Philadelphia
QB	**Bobby Hebert**, Michigan
RB	**Herschel Walker**, New Jersey
	Kelvin Bryant, Philadelphia

DEFENSE

DL	**Fred Nordgren**, Tampa Bay
	JOE EHRMANN, CHICAGO
	Dave Tipton, Michigan
OLB	**John Corker**, Michigan
	STAN WHITE, CHICAGO
ILB	**Sam Mills**, Philadelphia
	Marcus Marek, Boston
DB	**David Greenwood**, Michigan
	David Dumars, Denver
	LUTHER BRADLEY, CHICAGO
	Scott Woerner, Philadelphia

SPECIALISTS

PK	**David Trout**, Philadelphia
P	**Stan Talley**, Oakland
KR	**LENNY WILLIS, CHICAGO**

COACH OF THE YEAR
Jim Stanley, Michigan

1983 USFL SPECIAL AWARDS

Miller Beer Most Valuable Player	Kelvin Bryant, Philadelphia
Dodge Man of the Year	Raymond Chester, Oakland
Dodge Coach of the Year	Dick Coury, Boston
Pony Outstanding Running Back	Herschel Walker, New Jersey
Pan Am Outstanding Quarterback	Bobby Hebert, Michigan
Avis Leading Scorer	David Trout, Philadelphia
Miller Beer Leading Receiver	**TRUMAINE JOHNSON, CHICAGO**
Halcyon Days Defensive Player of the Year	John Corker, Michigan
ESPN Outstanding Lineman	**KIT LATHROP, CHICAGO**
Sqwincher Special Teams Player of the Year	Stan Talley, Oakland

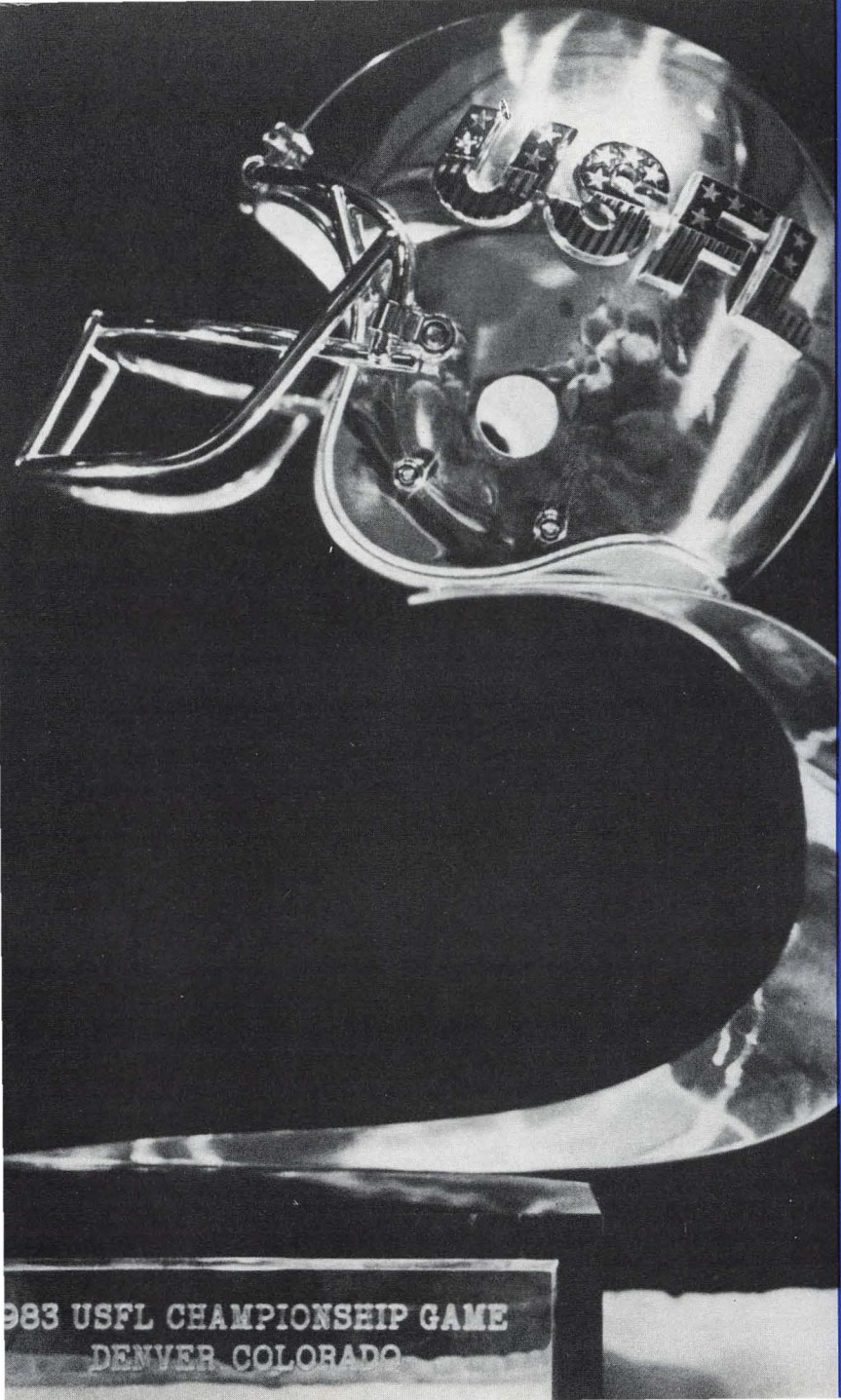
BLITZ FIRSTS

1st Offensive Play:	Kevin Long rushes for 8 yards (3/6/83 at Washington)
1st First Down:	Tim Spencer rushes for 3 yards (1st Quarter) (3/6/83 at Washington)
1st Rush:	Kevin Long rushes for 8 yards (3/6/83 at Washington)
1st TD:	Wamon Buggs recovers a fumble in the endzone after a 33-yard pass play from Greg Landry to Trumaine Johnson —4:25 left in the 1st Quarter (3/6/83 at Washington)
1st Pat Kicking:	Frank Corral kicks a PAT after Wamon Buggs' 1st Quarter TD at Washington (3/6/83)
1st TD Pass:	Greg Landry to Trumaine Johnson for 23 yards-0:18 left in the 1st half (3/6/83 at Washington)
1st TD Rushing:	Kevin Long rushes for 4 yards—8:10 left in the 1st Half (3/6/83 at Washington)
1st Penalty:	Illegal Procedure on the Blitz offense in the 1st Quarter (3/6/83 at Washington)
1st TD Drive:	56 Yards in 4 plays (2:19 elapsed time) The Blitz scores on Buggs' fumble recovery in the endzone—4:25 left in the 1st Quarter (3/6/83 at Washington)
1st Tackle:	Blitz strong safety Don Schwartz tackles Washington running back Craig James for a three yard loss (3/6/83 at Washington)
1st Interception:	Blitz free safety Luther Bradley intercepts a Mike Hohensee pass with 4:17 remaining in the 2nd Half (3/6/83 at Washington) NOTE: Bradley also intercepted a second Hohensee pass with 1:22 left in the game

1st Starting Line-Up: (3/6/83 at Washington)

OFFENSE		*DEFENSE*	
WR	Trumaine Johnson	DE	Karl Lorch
TE	Paul Ricker	DT	Joe Ehrmann
RT	Nick Eyre	DT	Kit Lathrop
RG	Tim Norman	DE	Junior Ah You
C	Wally Pesuit	OLB	Ed Smith
LG	Mark Stevenson	MLB	Jim Fahnhorst
LT	Rob Taylor	OLB	Stan White
WR	Wamon Buggs	LCB	Virgil Livers
QB	Greg Landry	RCB	Frank Minnifield
RB	Tim Spencer	SS	Don Schwartz
FB	Kevin Long	FS	Luther Bradley

1st Win:	Chicago 28, Washington 7—(3/6/83)
1st Home Win:	Chicago 20, Los Angeles 14—(3/27/83)
1st Home Loss:	Denver 16, Chicago 13 (3/20/83)
1st Road Win:	Chicago 28, Washington 7 (3/6/83)
1st Loss:	Arizona 30, Chicago 29 (3/12/83 at Arizona)
1st Road Loss:	Arizona 30, Chicago 29 (3/12/83)
1st Kickoff Return:	Jim Stone, 23 yards, vs Washington (3/6/83)
1st Field Goal:	Frank Corral hit a 23-yarder with 11:13 left in the first half. vs Arizona (3/12/83)
1st Interception Thrown:	Greg Landry was intercepted by Denver safety Dave Dumars on the last play of the first half. (3/20/83) NOTE: Landry had thrown 75 passes without an interception prior to that point



RECORDS

BLITZ INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

SCORING

Most Points

Season	105	Frank Corral	1983
Game	18	Trumaine Johnson	at Birmingham 6/17/83
	18	Tim Spencer	vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83
Half	12	Paul Ricker	at Arizona 3/12/83
	12	Paul Ricker	at Los Angeles 5/1/83
	12	Tim Spencer	vs Washington 5/8/83
	12	Tim Spencer	vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83
	12	Trumaine Johnson	at Birmingham 6/17/83
	12	Frank Corral	vs Arizona 5/30/83

Most Touchdowns

Season	13	Kevin Long	1983
Game	3	Trumaine Johnson	at Birmingham 6/17/83
	3	Tim Spencer	vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83
Half	2	Paul Ricker	at Arizona 3/12/83
	2	Paul Ricker	at Washington 3/6/83
	2	Tim Spencer	vs Washington 5/8/83
	2	Tim Spencer	vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83
	2	Trumaine Johnson	at Birmingham 6/17/83

Most Point After Touchdowns Attempted

Season	40	Frank Corral	1983
Game	6	John Roveto	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83
Half	4	John Roveto	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83

Most Point After Touchdowns

Season	37	Frank Corral	1983
Game	6	John Roveto	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83
Half	4	John Roveto	at Tampa Pay 4/2/83

Most 2 Point Conversions Attempted

Season	2	Bobby Scott	1983
Game	1	Bobby Scott	at Birmingham 6/17/83
	1	Bobby Scott	vs Michigan 6/26/83
	1	Tom Rozantz	vs Arizona 5/30/83
	1	Greg Landry	at Michigan 4/17/83
Half	1	Bobby Scott	vs Michigan 6/26/83
	1	Bobby Scott	at Birmingham 6/17/83
	1	Tom Rozantz	vs Arizona 5/30/83
	1	Greg Landry	at Michigan 4/17/83

Most 2 Point Conversions

Season	1	Frank Corral	1983
Game	1	Frank Corral	vs Arizona 5/30/83
Half	1	Frank Corral	vs Arizona 5/30/83

Most Field Goals Attempted

Season	41	Frank Corral	1983
Game	7	Frank Corral	vs Arizona 5/30/83
Half	5	Frank Corral	vs Arizona 5/30/83

Most Field Goals

Season	22	Frank Corral	1983
Game	4	Frank Corral	vs Arizona 5/30/83
Half	3	Frank Corral	vs Arizona 5/30/83

RUSHING

Most Touchdowns Rushing

Season	12	Kevin Long	1983
	6	Tim Spencer	1983
Game	2	Kevin Long	vs Washington 5/8/83
	2	Tim Spencer	vs Washington 5/8/83
Half	2	Tim Spencer	vs Washington 5/8/83

Most Attempts

Season	300	Tim Spencer	1983
	262	Kevin Long	1983
Game	23	Kevin Long	vs Denver 3/20/83
	23	Tim Spencer	at Birmingham 6/17/83
Half	17	Kevin Long	vs Denver 3/20/83

Most Yards Gained

Season	1,157	Tim Spencer	1983
	1,022	Keven Long	1983
Game	132	Tim Spencer	at Birmingham 6/17/83
	106	Tim Spencer	vs Birmingham 4/10/83
Half	79	Tim Spencer	at Birmingham 6/17/83

PASSING

Most Touchdown Passes

Season	16	Greg Landry	1983
	5	Tim Koegel	1983
Game	3	Greg Landry	at Los Angeles 5/1/83
	3	Greg Landry	at Arizona 3/12/83
	3	Tim Koegel	vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83
	3	Bobby Scott	at Birmingham 6/17/83
Half	2	Greg Landry	at Arizona 3/12/83
	2	Greg Landry	at Los Angeles 5/1/83
	2	Tim Koegel	vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83
	2	Bobby Scott	at Birmingham 6/17/83

Most Passes Attempted

Season	334	Greg Landry	1983
	89	Tim Koegel	1983
Game	39	Bobby Scott	vs Michigan 6/26/83
	36	Greg Landry	at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	23	Greg Landry	at Arizona 3/12/83

Most Passes Completed

Season	188	Greg Landry	1983
	43	Tim Koegel	1983
Game	24	Greg Landry	at Arizona 3/12/83
	22	Greg Landry	vs New Jersey 4/25/83
	22	Bobby Scott	vs Michigan 6/26/83
Half	13	Greg Landry	at Arizona 3/12/83

Most Yards Gained Passing

Season	2,383	Greg Landry	1983
	639	Bobby Scott	1983
Game	345	Bobby Scott	vs Michigan 6/26/83
	277	Greg Landry	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83
Half	178	Bobby Scott	vs Michigan 6/26/83

Highest Percentage Passing

Season (min 75 att)	56.3	Greg Landry (188 of 334)	1983
	55.1	Bobby Scott (43 of 78)	1983
Game (min 12 att)	70.0	Greg Landry (19 of 27)	at Washington 3/6/83
	67.0	Greg Landry (24 of 36)	at Arizona 3/12/83
Half (min 8 att)	61.0	Greg Landry (11 of 18)	at Los Angeles 5/1/83
	58.0	Tim Koegel (7 of 12)	vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83

RECEIVING

Most Yards Gained

Season	1,322	Trumaine Johnson	1983
	493	Wamon Buggs	1983
	493	Paul Ricker	1983
Game	158	Trumaine Johnson	at Washington 3/6/83
	146	Trumaine Johnson	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83
Half	103	Trumaine Johnson	vs Arizona 5/30/83

Most Receptions

Season	81	Trumaine Johnson	1983
	40	Wamon Buggs	1983
Game	11	Trumaine Johnson	at Washington 3/6/83
	8	Trumaine Johnson	Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
Half	6	Trumaine Johnson	at Washington 3/6/83

Most Touchdowns Receiving

Season	10	Trumaine Johnson	1983
	5	Paul Ricker	1983
	5	Lenny Willis	1983
Game	3	Trumaine Johnson	at Birmingham 6/17/83
	2	Paul Ricker	at Los Angeles 5/1/83
	2	Paul Ricker	at Arizona 3/12/83
	2	Tim Spencer	vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83
Half	2	Trumaine Johnson	at Birmingham 6/12/83
	2	Paul Ricker	at Arizona 3/12/83
	2	Paul Ricker	at Los Angeles 5/1/83

KICKOFF RETURNS

Most Kickoff Returns

Season	30	Lenny Willis	1983
	6	Eddie Brown	1983
	6	Jim Stone	1983
Game	4	Lenny Willis	at Los Angeles 5/1/83,
	4	Lenny Willis	at Birmingham 6/17/83
	4	Lenny Willis	at Michigan 4/17/83
	4	Jim Stone	at Arizona 3/12/83

Most Yards Gained, Kickoff Returns

Season	626	Lenny Willis	1983
	102	Jim Stone	1983
Game	105	Lenny Willis	at Michigan 4/17/83
	74	Lenny Willis	at Los Angeles 5/1/83

Highest Average, Kickoff Returns

Season	20.9	Lenny Willis	1983
	17.0	Jim Stone	1983
Game	26.3	Lenny Willis	at Michigan 4/17/83

INTERCEPTIONS

Most Interceptions

Season	12	Luther Bradley	1983
	6	Eddie Brown	1983
Game	6	Luther Bradley	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83
Half	4	Luther Bradley	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83

Most Yards Gained, Interceptions

Season	167	Luther Bradley	1983
	88	Eddie Brown	1983
Game	127	Luther Bradley	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83
	45	Don Schwartz	vs Oakland 7/3/83
Half	117	Luther Bradley	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83

Most Touchdowns, Interceptions

Season	1	Luther Bradley	1983
	1	Eddie Brown	1983
	1	Lance Shields	1983
	1	Don Schwartz	1983
Game	1	Luther Bradley	vs Tampa Bay 4/2/83
	1	Lance Shields	at Los Angeles 5/1/83
	1	Don Schwartz	vs Oakland 7/3/83
	1	Eddie Brown	vs Oakland 7/3/83
Half	1	Luther Bradley	vs Tampa Bay 4/2/83
	1	Lance Shields	at Los Angeles
	1	Don Schwartz	vs Oakland 7/3/83

PUNTING

Most Punts

Season	74	Frank Corral	1983
	18	Frank Garcia	1983
Game	8	Frank Corral	at Boston 6/6/83
	8	Frank Garcia	vs Los Angeles 3/27/83

Highest Punting Average

Season	40.4	Frank Corral	1983
	37.5	Frank Garcia	1983
Game	49.6	Frank Corral	at New Jersey 5/22/83
	45.5	Frank Corral	at Boston 6/6/83

PUNT RETURNS

Most Punt Returns

Season	54	Lenny Willis	1983
Game	7	Lenny Willis	at Boston 6/6/83
	5	Lenny Willis	vs Oakland 7/3/83, at Birmingham 6/17/83

Most Yards Gained, Punt Returns

Season	489	Lenny Willis	1983
Game	85	Lenny Willis	at Birmingham 6/17/83
	64	Lenny Willis	at Los Angeles 5/1/83

Highest Average, Punt Returns

Season	9.1	Lenny Willis	1983
Game	21	Lenny Willis	at Los Angeles 5/1/83

Most Touchdowns, Punt Returns

Season	1	Lenny Willis	1983
Game	1	Lenny Willis	vs Arizona 5/30/83
Half	1	Lenny Willis	vs Arizona 5/30/83

BLITZ TEAM RECORDS

SCORING

Most Points

Season	456	1983
Game	42	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83
Half	28	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83

Most Touchdowns

Season	54	1983
Game	6	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83
Half	4	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83

Most Point After Touchdowns Attempted

Season	49	1983
Game	6	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83
Half	4	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83

Most Point After Touchdowns

Season	46	1983
Game	6	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83
Half	4	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83

Most 2 Point Conversions Attempted

Season	4	1983
Game	1	vs Arizona 5/30/83, at Michigan 4/17/83
Half	1	at Birmingham 6/17/83 vs Michigan 6/26/83 vs Arizona 5/30/83, at Michigan 4/17/83 at Birmingham 6/17/83 vs Michigan 6/26/83

Most 2 Point Conversions

Season	1	1983
Game	1	vs Arizona 5/30/83
Half	1	vs Arizona 5/30/83

Most Field Goals Attempted

Season	48	1983
Game	7	vs Arizona 5/30/83
Half	5	vs Arizona 5/30/83

Most Field Goals

Season	26	1983
Game	4	vs Arizona 5/30/83
Half	3	vs Arizona 5/30/83

RUSHING

Most Touchdowns Rushing

Season	23	1983
Game	4	vs Washington 5/8/83
Half	3	vs Washington 5/8/83

Most Attempts

Season	716	1983
Game	51	vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83
Half	28	vs Arizona 5/30/83

Most Yards Gained

Season	2,769	1983
Game	253	vs Arizona 5/30/83
Half	132	vs Arizona 5/30/83

Highest Average Per Rush

Season	3.90	1983
Game	5.25	vs Birmingham 4/10/83
Half	5.63	vs Birmingham 4/10/83

PASSING

Most Touchdowns Passing

Season	25	1983
Game	3	at Birmingham 6/17/83, at Los Angeles 5/1/83, at Arizona 3/12/83, vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83
Half	2	at Birmingham 6/17/83, at Los Angeles 5/1/83, at Arizona 3/12/83, vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83

Most Passes Attempted

Season	506	1983
Game	42	at New Jersey 5/22/83
Half	23	at Arizona 3/12/83

Most Passes Completed

Season	275	1983
Game	24	at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	13	at Arizona 3/12/83

Most Net Yards Gained, Passing

Season	3,191	1983
Game	294	vs Michigan 6/26/83
Half	159	vs Michigan 6/26/83

Highest Percentage Passing

Season	54.3	1983
Game	70.0	vs Washington 5/8/83
Half	70.0	at Los Angeles 5/1/83 vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83

Highest Average Per Attempt

Season	7.11	1983
Game	8.43	vs Washington 5/8/83
Half	13.1	at Washington 3/6/83

RECEIVING

Most Yards Gained

Season	3,600	1983
Game	345	vs Michigan 6/26/83
Half	178	vs Michigan 6/26/83

Most Receptions

Season	275	1983
Game	24	at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	13	at Arizona 3/12/83

Most Touchdowns Receiving

Season	25	1983
Game	3	at Birmingham 6/17/83, at Los Angeles 5/1/83, vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83, at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	2	at Birmingham 6/17/83, at Los Angeles 5/1/83, vs Tampa Bay 6/12/83, at Arizona 3/12/83

INTERCEPTIONS

Most Interceptions

Season	37	1983
Game	6	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83
Half	4	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83

Most Yards Gained, Interceptions

Season	465	1983
Game	127	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83
Half	117	at Tampa Bay 4/2/83

Most Touchdowns, Interceptions

Season	4	1983
Game	2	vs Oakland 7/3/83
Half	2	vs Oakland 7/3/83

PUNTING

Most Punts

Season	94	1983
Game	8	at Boston 6/6/83, vs Los Angeles 3/27/83

Highest Punting Average

Season	39.0	1983
Game	49.6	at New Jersey 5/22/83

PUNT RETURNS

Most Punt Returns

Season	58	1983
Game	7	at Boston 6/6/83

Most Yards Gained, Punt Returns

Season	544	1983
Game	85	at Birmingham 6/17/83

Highest Average, Punt Returns

Season	9.4	1983
Game	21.3	at Los Angeles 5/1/83

Most Touchdowns, Punt Returns

Season	1	1983
Game	1	vs Arizona 5/30/83

KICKOFF RETURNS

Most Kickoff Returns

Season	49	1983
Game	6	vs Arizona 5/30/83

Most Yards Gained, Kickoff Returns

Season	879	1983
Game	105	vs Michigan 6/26/83

Highest Average, Kickoff Returns

Season	17.9	1983
Game	26.3	at New Jersey 5/22/83

BLITZ OPPONENTS' INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

SCORING

Most Points

Season	18	Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals 1983
Game	12	(6 players tied) Anthony Carter, Michigan Panthers, 6/26/83 (most recent)
Half	12	Derek Holloway, Michigan Panthers 6/26/83

Most Touchdowns

Season	3	Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals 1983 (most recent)
Half	2	Derek Holloway, Michigan Panthers 6/26/83

Most Point After Touchdowns Attempted

Season	7	Novo Bojovic, Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	5	Novo Bojovic, Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
Half	3	Novo Bojovic, Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
	3	Dave Trout, Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia 5/15/83

Most Point After Touchdowns

Season	7	Novo Bojovic, Michigan Panthers, 1983
Game	4	Novo Bojovic, Michigan Panthers, 6/26/83
Half	3	Novo Bojovic, Michigan Panthers, 6/26/83
	3	Dave Trout, Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia 5/15/83

Most 2 Point Conversions Attempted

Season	1	(4 players tied) Greg Boone, Tampa Bay Bandits, (most recent) 1983
Game	1	(4 players tied) Greg Boone, Tampa Bay Bandits, (most recent) 6/12/83
Half	1	(4 players tied) Greg Boone, Tampa Bay Bandits, (most recent) 6/12/83

Most 2 Point Conversions

Season	1	(4 players tied) Greg Bone, Tampa Bay Bandits. (most recent) 983
Game	1	(4 players tied) Greg Boone, Tampa Bay Bandits. (most recent) 6/12/83
Half	1	(4 players tied) Greg Boone, Tampa Bay Bandits (most recent) 6/12/83

Most Field Goals Attempted

Season	4	Jim Asmus, Arizona Wranglers 1983
Game	4	Jim Asmus, Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	3	Jim Asmus, Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83

Most Field Goals

Season	3	Jim Asmus, Arizona Wranglers 1983
Game	3	Jim Asmus, Arizona Wranglers
Half	2	Jim Asmus, Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83

RUSHING

Most Touchdowns

Season	3	Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals 1983
Game	2	Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals, at N.J. 5/22/83
	2	Kelvin Bryant, Philadelphia Stars, at Phil. 5/15/83
Half	2	Kelvin Bryant, Philadelphia Stars, at Phil. 5/15/83

Most Attempts

Season	69	Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals 1983
Game	36	Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals, at NJ 5/22/83
Half	22	Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals, at NJ 5/22/83

Most Yards Gained

Season	279	Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals 1983
Game	141	Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals, at NJ 5/22/83
Half	109	Herschel Walker, New Jersey Generals, at NJ 5/22/83

PASSING

Most Touchdowns

Season	5	Bobby Hebert, Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	5	Bobby Hebert, Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
Half	3	Bobby Hebert, Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
	3	Alan Risher, Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83

Most Passes Attempted

Season	64	Alan Risher, Arizona Wranglers 1983
Game	40	Alan Risher, Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	20	Mike Hohensee, Washington Federals, at Washington 3/6/83

Most Passes Competed

Season	43	Alan Risher, Arizona Wranglers 1983
Game	28	Alan Risher, Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	15	Mike Hohensee, Washington Federals, at Washington 3/6/83

Most Yards Gained

Season	411	Bobby Hebert, Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	269	Bobby Hebert, Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
Half	175	Mike Hohensee, Washington Federals, at Washington 3/6/83

Highest Percentage Passing

Season	67.0	Alan Risher, Arizona Wranglers 1983
Game	70.0	Alan Risher, Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	83.0	Alan Risher, Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83

RECEIVING

Most Yards Gained

Season	165	Anthony Carter, Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	143	Anthony Carter, Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
Half	79	Kris Haines, Los Angeles Express, at Los Angeles 5/1/83

Most Receptions

Season	10	Neil Balholm, Arizona Wranglers 1983
Game	9	Neil Balholm, Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	5	Neil Balholm, Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83

Most Touchdowns Receiving

Season	2	Neil Balholm, Arizona Wranglers 1983
	2	Anthony Carter, Michigan Panthers 1983
	2	Derek Holloway, Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	2	Anthony Carter, Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
	2	Derek Holloway, Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
Half	2	Derek Holloway, Michigan Panthers 6/26/83

INTERCEPTIONS

Most Interceptions

Season	1	(11 players tied) John Corker, Michigan Panthers, (most recent) 1983
Game	1	(11 players tied) John Corker, Michigan Panthers, (most recent) 6/26/8
Half	1	(11 players tied) John Corker, Michigan Panthers, (most recent) 6/26/83

Most Yards Gained, Interceptions

Season	23	Sam Norris, Arizona Wranglers 1983
	23	Oliver Davis, Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	23	Sam Norris, Arizona Wranglers 5/30/83
	23	Oliver Davis, Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
Half	23	Sam Norris, Arizona Wranglers 5/30/83
	23	Oliver Davis, Michigan Panthers 6/26/83

Most Touchdowns, Interceptions

Season none

PUNTING

Most Punts

Season	16	Zenon Andrusysyhyn, Tampa Bay Bandits 1983
	16	Lance Olander, New Jersey Generals, 1983
Game	11	Dario Casarino, Boston Breakers, at Boston 6/6/83

Highest Punting Average

Season	51.7	Stan Talley, Oakland Invaders 1983
Game	51.7	Stan Talley, Oakland Invaders 7/3/83

PUNT RETURNS

Most Punt Returns

Season	5	Anthony Carter, Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	5	Anthony Carter, Michigan Panthers, at Michigan 4/17/83

Most Yards Gained, Punt Returns

Season	68	Anthony Carter, Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	68	Anthony Carter, Michigan Panthers, at Michigan 4/17/83

Highest Average, Punt Returns

Season	13.6	Anthony Carter, Michigan Panthers, 1983
Game	13.6	Anthony Carter, Michigan Panthers, at Michigan 4/17/83

Most Touchdowns, Punt Returns

Season	none

KICKOFF RETURNS

Most Kickoff Returns

Season	5	Reggie Smith, Washington Federals 1983
Game	5	Reggie Smith, Washington Federals, at Washington 3/6/83

Most Yards Gained

Season	85	Reggie Smith, Washington Federals, 1983
Game	85	Reggie Smith, Washington Federals, at Washington 3/6/83

Highest Average Per Kickoff Return

Season	23	Johnnie Dirden, Birmingham Stallions 1983
Game	23	Johnnie Dirden, Birmingham Stallions 4/10/83

BLITZ OPPONENTS' TEAM RECORDS

SCORING

Most Points

Season	51	Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	34	Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
Half	24	Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83

Most Touchdowns

Season	7	Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	5	Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
Half	3	Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
	3	Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia 5/15/83

Most Point After Touchdowns Attempted

Season	7	Michigan Panthers, 1983
Game	5	Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
Half	3	Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
	3	Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia 5/15/83

Most Point After Touchdowns

Season	7	Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	4	Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
Half	3	Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
	3	Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia 5/15/83

Most 2 Point Conversions Attempted

Season	5	(5 teams tied) Tampa Bay Bandits (most recent) 6/12/83
Game	1	(4 teams tied) Tampa Bay Bandits (most recent) 6/12/83
Half	1	(4 teams tied) Tampa Bay Bandits (most recent) 6/12/83

Most 2 Point Conversions

Season	1	(4 teams tied) Tampa Bay Bandits (most recent) 6/12/83
Game	1	(4 teams tied) Tampa Bay Bandits (most recent) 6/12/83
Half	1	(4 teams tied) Tampa Bay Bandits (most recent) 6/12/83

Most Field Goals Attempted

Season	5	Arizona Wranglers 1983
Game	4	Arizona Wranglers,at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	3	Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83

Most Field Goals

Season	4	Arizona Wranglers 1983
Game	3	Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	2	Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83

RUSHING

Most Touchdowns Rushing

Season	3	New Jersey Generals 1983
	3	Philadelphia Stars 1983
Game	3	Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia 5/15/83
Half	3	Philadelphia Stars, at Philadelphia 5/15/83

Most Attempts

Season	95	New Jersey Generals 1983
Game	53	New Jersey Generals 4/25/83
Half	31	New Jersey Generals 4/25/83

Most Yards Gained

Season	424	New Jersey Generals 1983
Game	225	New Jersey Generals, at New Jersey 5/22/83
Half	151	New Jersey Generals 4/25/83

Highest Average Per Rush

Season	5.5	Birmingham Stallions 1983
Game	5.5	Birmingham Stallions 4/10/83
Half	5.6	Birmingham Stallions 4/10/83

PASSING

Most Touchdowns Passes

Season	5	Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	5	Michigan Panthers 6/6/83
Half	3	Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
	3	Arizona Wranglers at Arizona, 3/12/83

Most Passes Attempted

Season	64	Arizona Wranglers, 1983
Game	40	Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	20	Washington Federals, at Washington 3/6/83

Most Passes Completed

Season	43	Arizona Wranglers 1983
Game	28	Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	15	Washington Federals, at Washington 3/6/83

Most Yards Gained

Season	411	Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	269	Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
Half	175	Washington Federals, at Washington 3/6/83

Highest Percentage Passing

Season	67.0	Arizona Wranglers 1983
Game	70.0	Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	83.0	Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83

Highest Average Per Attempt

Season	7.2	Oakland Invaders 1983
Game	7.3	Los Angeles Express, at Los Angeles 5/1/83
Half	8.4	Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83

RECEIVING

Most Yards Gained

Season	411	Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	269	Michigan Panthers 626/83
Half	175	Washington Federals, at Washington 3/6/83

Most Receptions

Season	43	Arizona Wranglers 1983
Game	28	Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83
Half	15	Washington Federals, at Washington 3/6/83

Most Touchdowns Receiving

Season	5	Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	5	Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
Half	3	Michigan Panthers 6/26/83
	3	Arizona Wranglers, at Arizona 3/12/83

INTERCEPTIONS

Most Interceptions

Season	3	Michigan Panthers 1983
	3	New Jersey Generals 1983
Game	3	New Jersey Generals, at New Jersey 5/22/83
Half	2	New Jersey Generals, at New Jersey 5/22/83

Most Yards Gained, Interceptions

Season	40	Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	29	Michigan Panthers, at Michigan 4/17/83
Half	23	Michigan Panthers, at Michigan 4/17/83
	23	Arizona Wranglers 5/30/83

Most Touchdowns, Interceptions

Season	none

PUNTING

Most Punts

Season	16	Tampa Bay Bandits 1983
	16	New Jersey Generals 1983
Game	11	Boston Breakers, at Boston 6/6/83

Highest Punting Average

Season	51.7	Oakland Invaders 1983
Game	51.7	Oakland Invaders 7/3/83

PUNT RETURNS

Most Punt Returns

Season	8	Los Angeles Express 1983
Game	8	Los Angeles Express 3/27/83

Most Yards Gained

Season	68	Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	68	Michigan Panthers, at Mi, 4/17/83

Highest Average Per Punt Return

Season	13.6	Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	13.6	Michigan Panthers, at Michigan, 4/17/83

KICKOFF RETURNS

Most Kickoff Returns

Season	11	Los Angeles Express 1983
	11	Tampa Bay Bandits 1983
Game	7	Arizona Wranglers 5/30/83
	7	Tampa Bay Bandits, at Tampa Bay 4/2/83

Most Yards Gained

Season	166	Los Angeles Express 1983
Game	117	Los Angeles Express, at Los Angeles 5/1/83

Highest Average Per Kickoff Return

Season	18.9	Michigan Panthers 1983
Game	19.5	Los Angeles Express, at Los Angeles 5/1/83

CHICAGO BLITZ ALL-TIME ROSTER

PLAYER	GAMES	STARTED	COMMENTS
Junior Ah You, DE	18/1	18/1	
Carl Allen, CB	13/1	3/1	
MARCUS ANDERSON, WR	18/1		
Robert Barnes, OG/LS	14/1		
Mack Boatner, FB	12/1		
Luther Bradley, FS	17/1	17	
Bruce Branch, OG	2		Traded to Boston 4-28-83
Eddie Brown, FS	18/1	1/1	
Mark Buben, DT	18/1		To Pittsburgh 9-6-83
Wamon Buggs, WR	18/1	18/1	
Bob Cobb, OT/DT	2		Traded to Wash. 5-26-83
Frank Corral, P/PK	15/1		
Doug Cozen, TE	18/1		To Memphis 9-6-83
Tim Darling, LB	—		
Doug Dennison, HB	18/1		To Pittsburgh 9-6-83
Larry Douglas, WR	1		
Walter Easley, FB	1/1		To Pittsburgh 9-6-83
Joe Ehrmann, DT	18/1	18/1	
Nick Eyre, OT	18/1	18/1	
Jim Fahnhorst, MLB	18/1	18/1	
Joe Federspiel, LB	3		Waived 4-7-83
Doak Field, MLB	18/1		
Frank Garcia, P	3		Waived 4-12-83
Bruce Gheesling, OLB	15/1		
Ken Gillen, DE	5		To San Antonio 9-6-83
Tim Groves, DB	—		To San Antonio 9-7-83
Tim James, C	1		Waived, 4-29-83
Trumaine Johnson, WR	18/1	18/1	
TIM KOEGEL, QB	16	4	Injured 6-17-83
Jack Lafferty, C	2		
Greg Landry, QB	12	12	Injured 5-22-83
Kit Lathrop, DT	18/1	18/1	
John Lee, DE	15/1	1	
VIRGIL LIVERS, CB	18/1	18/1	
Jim Lohmann, OG	5/1	1	To Pittsburgh 9-6-83
Kevin Long, FB	18/1	18/1	
Karl Lorch, DE	18/1	18/1	
Andrew Melontree	18/1		
Frank Minnifield, DB	1	1	Injured 3-6-83
Bob Newton, OG	1	1	Waived 4-29-83
Tim Norman, OG	17/1	17/1	To San Antonio 9-6-83
Wally Pesuit, C	18/1	18/1	To Jacksonville 9-6-83
Tom Piette, C	8/1		
Walter Poole, HB	1		To Houston 9-6-83

Paul Ricker, TE	18/1	18/1	
John Roveto, PK	3		Waived, 4-12-83
Tom Rozantz, QB	3/1		To Pittsburgh 9-6-83
Pat Schmidt, SS	2		
Don Schwartz, SS	18/1	17/1	
Bobby Scott, QB	4/1	2/1	
Lance Shields, CB	17/1	12	
Ed Smith, OLB	18/1	18/1	
Tim Spencer, HB	18/1	18/1	
Mark Stevenson, OG	6	6	Injured 4-10-83
JIM STONE, FB	6		Injured 4-10-83 & waived 7-29-83
Rob Taylor, OT	18/1	18/1	
Tom Thayer, OG	10/1	8/1	
Troy Thomas, OT/DT	10/1		To Pittsburgh, 9-6-83
Steve Tobin, C	6		Injured, 4-10-83 & waived 7-29-83
Maurice Tyler, CB	5	2	Waived 4-13-83
Ted Walton, CB	15/1	1	
Stan White, OLB	18/1	18/1	
Lenny Willis, WR/KR	18/1		
Tim Wrightman, TE	9/1		
Kari Yli-Renko, OG	7	3	Traded to N.J. 5-26-83

Total — 65 players. . .56 with team on 9-1-83; 44 after allocation draft.
Note: 40 went to Arizona in sale of franchise. Those who stayed are listed in Caps and Bold Face.

Roster players during inaugural 1983 USFL season, indicating games played/playoff and games started/playoff.

CHICAGO BLITZ TRADES: Since USFL Formation in 1982

Note: The following trades made by the Chicago Blitz had the following effect on the 1984 roster.

1982-83:

No. 2 ROY EPPES, S from Washington to Tampa Bay for future considerations. August 23, 1982. (Subsequently waived by Tampa Bay, given a tryout by Arizona and signed. Played in 8 games in 1983, starting 2 for Arizona.)

No. 19 TERRY FALCON, OT, from Washington to Arizona for Phil DuBois, TE, San Diego State. September 21, 1982. (Played and started 16 games in 1983 for Arizona.)

No. 73 VIRGIL LIVERS, CB, from Oakland to Chicago for Al Washington, LB, Ohio State. December 1, 1982. (Livers started 18 games and the playoff for Chicago in 1983.)

No. 90 GLENN HYDE, OG, from Washington to Denver for a draft choice. December 14, 1982. (Hyde started 17 games for Denver in 1983.)

No. 102 Rights to CALVIN MURRAY, RB, Ohio State, Tony Eason, QB, Illinois and a 1982 No. 1 draft choice (No. 6 in 1st round) to Arizona for rights to Frank Corral, PK, UCLA, and Arizona's 1983 No. 1 draft choice. (No. 2 in 1st round) January 4, 1983. (The draft choice became Tim Spencer, RB, Ohio State. Murray played in 18 games, starting 13 in 1983 for Arizona. was Wranglers' leading ground gainer with 699 yards on 179 carries (3.9 ave.) for 12th in the USFL.

No. 173 Rights to MIKE SPIVEY, DB, Colorado, from Denver to Chicago for rights to Andy Gibler, TE, Missouri. October 14, 1983.

No. 176 Rights to BOB SIMMONS, OG, Texas, from San Antonio to Chicago for rights to Doug Banks, RB, East Carolina. October 24, 1983 (Banks had played in 15 games, starting 1, for Arizona in 1983.)

No. 181 Rights to PERRY HARTNETT, OG, SMU, from San Antonio to Chicago for rights to Ricky Harr, DB, Colorado State. October 27, 1983.

No. 189 Rights to Clarence Sanders, LB, Cincinnati, from Denver to Chicago for rights to Joe Curtis, RB, Illinois. November 10, 1983. (Sanders was waived in training camp.)

No. 194 Rights to BOB FISHER, TE, SMU, and a 4th round draft choice in 1984 from San Antonio to Chicago for Arland Thompson, OG, Baylor, and Wally Henry, WR, UCLA. November 15, 1983. (Fisher was waived in training camp.)

No. 196 Rights to DON KIMBLE, LB, Texas-El Paso, from San Antonio to Chicago for past considerations. November 15, 1983. (Kimble was waived in training camp.)

No. 205 Rights to Dan Ruzich, LB, Kansas State, from Chicago to Michigan for past considerations. November 21, 1983.

No. 211 Rights to DAVID DORN, WR, Rutgers, and Bob Gagliano, QB, Utah State, from New Jersey to Chicago for rights to Jeff Weston, OT, Notre Dame, and Bobby Leopold, LB, Notre Dame. November 28, 1983. (Dorn was waived in training camp.)

No. 218 Rights to RUSS JOYNER, LB, Boston College, from New Orleans to Chicago for a draft choice. December 1, 1983. (Joyner was waived in training camp.)

No. 219 Rights to HERB CHRISTOPHER, DB, Morris Brown from Jacksonville to Chicago for a draft choice. December 1, 1983. (Christopher left training camp, retired.)

No. 235 Rights to VINCE EVANS, QB, Southern California, from Washington to Chicago for Ben Apuna, LB, Arizona State, and rights to Waddell Smith, WR, Kansas. December 27, 1983.

No. 237 GLENN HYDE, OG, and LARRY WHITE, DT, from Denver to Chicago for Neil Balholm, WR; Orlando Flanagan, LB; Mike Hirn, TE; and Bill Purifoy, DE; plus rights to Pete Holohan, TE, Notre Dame. December 28, 1983. (See trade 90.)

1984

No. 1 21 players on Chicago roster to Memphis for their 19th round draft choice (No. 381) in 1984. January, 3, 1984.

No. 4 Rights to JERRY DOERGER, OT, Wisconsin, from Washington to Chicago for Chicago's 6th round draft choice (No. 110) and Michigan's 6th round draft choice (No. 120) in 1984. January 3, 1984.

No. 6 BRODERICK THOMPSON, DT, Kansas and San Antonio's 1st round draft choice (No. 3) from San Antonio to Chicago for the rights to Bob Gagliano, QB, Utah State. (See trade 211). January 3, 1984. (Thompson was waived in training camp.)

No. 7 Rights to DENNIS LICK, OT, Wisconsin, from Philadelphia to Chicago for Larry McCoy, LB, Lamar, and a 1985 draft choice. January 4, 1984. (Lick was waived in training camp.)

No. 10 Rights to DB, Ozzie Harrell, Missouri Southern, from Philadelphia to Chicago for draft choices. January 5, 1984. (Harrell was waived in training camp.)

No. 19 Chicago's 12th round draft choice in 1984 (no. 236) to New Orleans for Arizona's 12th (No. 244) and Jacksonville's 12th (No. 247). January 5, 1984.

No. 21 Rights to Lawrence Lee, RB, Kentucky, from Memphis to Chicago for Jacksonville's 12th round draft choice (No. 247), Chicago's 13th (No. 259), Washington's 13th (No. 260), Michigan's 15th (No. 312), Chicago's 16th (No. 320), Chicago's 17th (No. 343), Chicago's 18th (No. 362), Memphis 19th (No. 381) and Chicago's 19th (No. 385). January 5, 1984. (Lee was waived in training camp.)

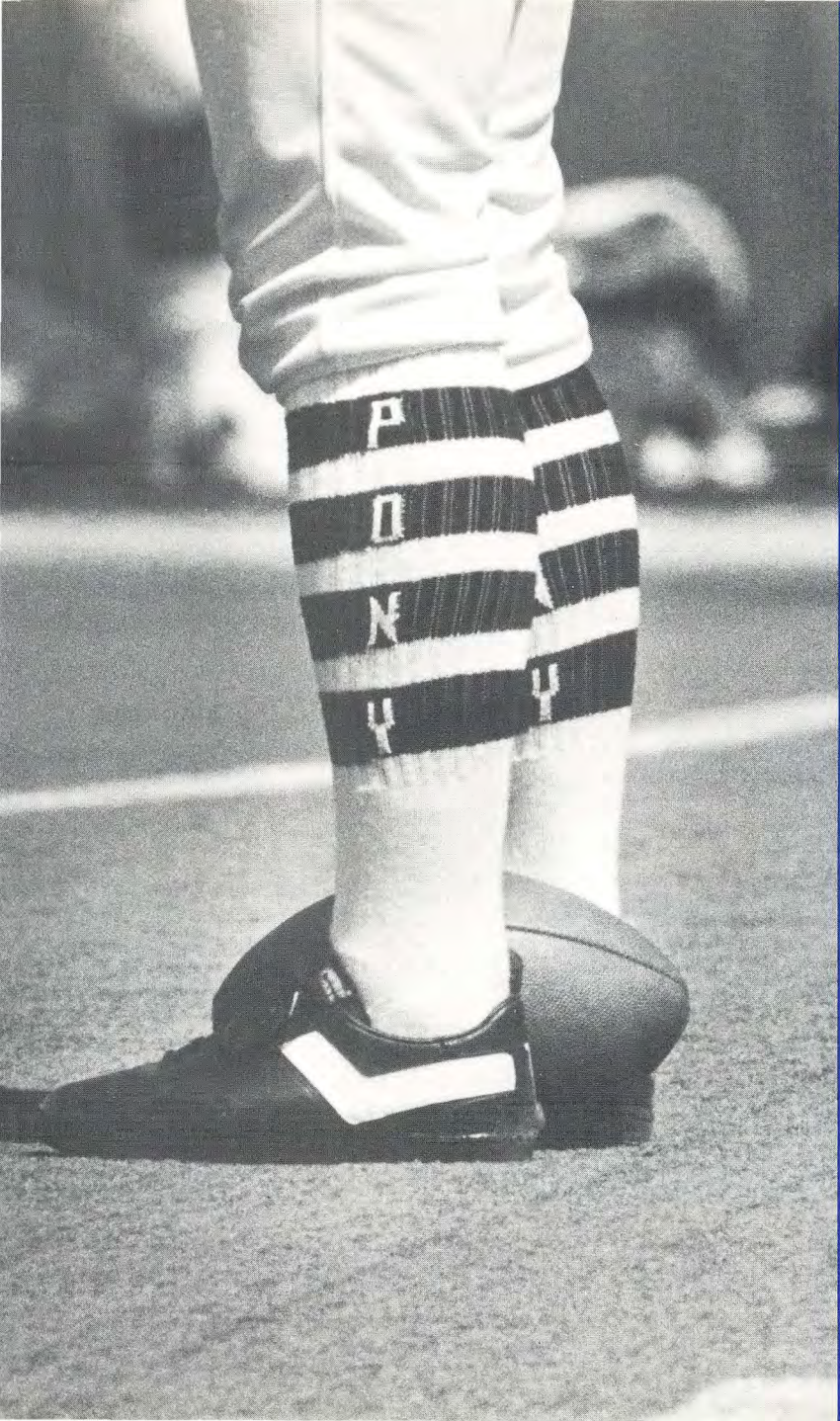
No. 28 Rights to MALCOLM TAYLOR, DT, Tennessee State from Memphis to Chicago for past considerations. January 9, 1984.

No. 44 Rights to TERRY CROUCH, OG, Oklahoma, from Oklahoma to Chicago for Bob Nelson, DT, Miami (Fla.). January 19, 1984.

No. 51 Rights to Phil Kessel, QB, Northern Michigan from Arizona to Chicago for a 1st round draft choice in 1985. January 23, 1984.

No. 52 Rights to WALTER PAYTON, RB, Jackson State, from Birmingham for rights to Phil Kessel (See trade 51) and a 2nd round draft choice in 1985. January 23, 1984.

No. 58 Mike Whited, OG, Pacific, from Chicago to Oakland, for a 1985 draft choice.



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CHESTER R. SIMMONS—COMMISSIONER

USFL Commissioner Chet Simmons is no stranger to the challenges of building new sports enterprises.

In the late 1950's, he helped transform a small production company—Sports Programs, Inc.—into what is now ABC Sports. Simmons guided and helped develop the American Football League's first television package.

As a major sports executive for NBC (1964-79), including the presidency of NBC Sports (1977-1979), Simmons developed *SportsWorld* and was involved in securing the 1980 Summer Olympics for the network. Earlier, Simmons helped engineer the AFL's move to NBC, a move regarded as key to the AFL's survival and subsequent growth.

To round out his quarter of a century in televison, Simmons accepted the challenge of president and chief executive officer of ESPN, which, under his guidance (1979-82) became the largest advertiser-supported cable network.

On June 14, 1982, Simmons was named USFL Commissioner. He guided the new League through an inaugural campaign which saw over 2½ million fans view USFL action in person; which saw a final television rating a full rating point above the original projections; and which established the USFL as a major sports enterprise.

The signing of Heisman Trophy winners Herschel Walker and Mike Rozier, the continued development of first-year USFL signees such as Kelvin Bryant, Trumaine Johnson, Irv Eatman, Tim Spencer, et. al, and the addition of star-quality NFL veterans, has provided the League with an increased sense of identity going into its second season. "What we're dealing with is the sport of professional football, certainly the most popular sport in this country," Simmons says. "I do not believe there is too much football these days. What there has been is too much football that hasn't been interesting.

"The biggest challenge we face in 1984 is to continue to build the USFL in the eyes of the fans, the media and the marketplace," he says. "We have a bigger job in front of us now than before. In our first year, we had a curiousity factor at work, which we do not have anymore. Thus, we have accelerated our marketing strategy in each League city which hopefully will result in greater in-stadium attendance and increased television ratings."

To meet this end, Simmons sees the League continuing to develop star players from the college ranks and continuing its selected signing of NFL veterans.

"We will continue to sell the attractiveness of attending football games in our season," he says. "We will heavily promote our television and radio games on ABC, ESPN and ABC Radio.

"With our six expansion teams broadening our exposure base, I can only see the television numbers going up." Simmons says, adding that the realignment of the franchises into two conferences (Eastern & Western, with two divisions each) "will create natural rivalries and improtant games," thereby accelerating interest.

Chester R. Simmons was born in New York City and raised in Ossining, N.Y. and Pawtucket, R.I. An alumnus of the Univeristy of Alabama, he participated in one of the first mass media programs offered at the undergraduate level. He did his graduate work in radio and television at Boston University.

Simmons and his wife, Harriet, have four children and live in Cos Cob, Ct.

MEDIA INFORMATION

CREDENTIALS

Requests for press, radio, television and photographers' credentials for all Chicago Blitz home games should be made in writing and addressed to:

Kay Schultz
Director of Media Relations
The Chicago Blitz
9511 Harrison Street
Des Plaines, IL 60016

When time allows, requests will be mailed, otherwise they will left at the Press Will Call (Gate 21) at Chicago's Soldier Field, located on the west side.

BROADCASTING ARRANGEMENTS

Requests for broadcast space for each visiting team's radio crew should be addressed to Kay Schultz (address above). Qualified spotters and statisticians will be available on request, but the media relations office should be notified at least two weeks in advance of required personnel.

TELECOPIERS, COMPUTER TERMINALS

For telecopier or computer terminal service, contact Telesports in Chicago – Lance Jay Garrett (312-280-8738) or Bob Stone (312-787-1018)—or write: P.O. Box 10188, Chicago, IL 60610.

PARKING

Soldier Field Press Parking credentials will be provided upon request and availabilty to those regularly covering Chicago Blitz home games and visiting media. Press parking is located in the North End Zone Lot through Gate 41. A special parking area for photographers (for quick exit) will be provided in the South Parking Lot of Soldier Field. Those covering games at Soldier Field should plan to arrive at least 1½ hours prior to kickoff to avoid Lake Shore Drive congestion, especially on week-night games.

PRESS BOX SERVICES

A complete play-by-play account of the game, quickie quarter stats, halftime stats and complete final stats, along with coaches' quotes, pre-game notes and any other pertinent details will be distributed in the press box. Programs and flip cards will also be provided.

A full pre-game lunch (or dinner for Blitz night games) and halftime snacks will also be available in the Soldier Field Press Box. For those writers working in the press box after the game, sandwiches and refreshments will be provided.

POST-GAME INTERVIEWS

Chicago Blitz head coach Marv Levy, the opposing head coach and players from both teams will be accessible for interviews following a "brief cooling off" period after each home game. An interview room adjacent to each lockerroom is available for both head coaches and the lockerroom itself will be open to the media.

ONLY the working press with a press box credential and lockerroom pass will be allowed access into the lockerroom area. Such passes will be distributed in the press box during each game.

DURING THE WEEK PLAYER, COACH INTERVIEWS

Following each game, Chicago Blitz head coach Marv Levy will conduct a day-after press conference at "Blitz Park" to review the previous game and the up-coming contest. With the various playing days in the 1984 schedule (Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays) these press briefings will be arranged at the mutual convenience of the head coach and media. Normally, they will be held at noon the day-after the game, except for Saturday night games when they will be scheduled on Mondays.

To arrange other interviews with a Chicago Blitz player or coach, please contact the media relations office (312-298-0100) and a time convenient to both parties will be arranged.

All player or coach interviews must be arranged through either Kay Schultz or Don Kojich of the Chicago Blitz Media Relations Office.

The media is welcome to drop by "Blitz Park" during most practices to interview players and coaches following the end of a practice session.

Television crews and photographers are welcome to "shoot" any assignment as long as they do not interfere with the on-the-field practice activities during practices.

All other Chicago Blitz front office personnel are available for interviews by making arrangements through the Media Relations Office for convenient scheduling.

Requests for interviews with Dr. James F. Hoffman, Jr., majority owner and President can be made either through the Blitz Media Relations Office or his secretary in Milwaukee (Kathy) at 414-933-2233.

PRESS BOX POLICIES:

Working press will be admitted to the Soldier Field press box, where 90 seats are available (43 in the first row). Credentials will be issued by the Chicago Blitz according to the following criteria:

A. Local daily newspapers, wire services, national publications, newspapers from opponent's area (as accredited by the visiting team) and major daily newspapers from throughout the Chicago Blitz franchise area.

B. Local radio and TV stations with regularly scheduled sportcasts needing access to game information and lockerroom information.

C. Other daily newspapers with preference to those which regularly cover the Chicago Blitz and the USFL.

D. Scouts from USFL teams.

E. Other members of the media on a game-by-game, space available basis.

NOTE: When space is not available in the press box, seats will be provided members of the media in the stands whenever possible. Those wishing lockerroom interviews will be provided necessary credentials.

PHOTOGRAPHERS

There is limited room on the Soldier Field sideline. Photo credentials will be issued only to those daily newspaper and wire service photographers directly covering the game and local (and visiting team) TV stations. Each photographer (and assistants) will be issued a sideline photographer's pass and armband to be worn at all times.

A special pre-game lunch area will be provided those issued sideline photography credentials. Bill Powers, Chicago Blitz team photographer, will monitor all sideline photographic activities and will mediate problems via consultation with Kay Schultz.

No free lance photographers will be allowed sideline access, unless on specific assignment from an accredited news organization.

Sideline photographers (unless specifically approved) may not encroach into the coaching-team area (between the 35 yard lines). Access behind the bench areas will be provided between the north and south portions of the field.

KAY FRED SCHULTZ—MEDIA RELATIONS DIRECTOR

Schultz was a member of the original Chicago Blitz front office team, joining the club in August 1982. He came to the Chicago area in 1961 to become the Director of the Big Ten Service Bureau in the Commissioner's Office.

In 1970, Schultz returned to the newspaper business, first as executive sports editor of *Chicago Today* and later as managing editor and sports coordinator for the Time Inc. suburban Pioneer Press. Prior to joining the Blitz, he was manager of the national sports group for Carl Byoir & Assoc. public relations firm in Chicago.

Schultz has also worked with network television. While with the Big Ten, he produced the Big Ten Basketball Television Series, an independent 55-station network in 10 Midwestern states. For 10 seasons, he served as chief writer and researcher for the College Football Highlights series on ABC-TV.

A native of South Milwaukee, Wis., Schultz is a 1957 journalism graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Madison, where he worked in the sports information office for three years, the last as assistant director.

Following service in the U.S. Army Reserves, Schultz joined the American Bowling Congress in Milwaukee as a public relations assistant prior to his Big Ten position.

Schultz and his wife, Eleanor, reside in Wilmette, Ill., and have a son, Eric, a student at Columbia College in Chicago.

Born: September 24, 1935.

DON KOJICH—MEDIA RELATIONS & PUBLICATIONS COORDINATOR

Kojich is in his second season with the Chicago Blitz organization. He is responsible for media relations and publications while also assisting in a variety of of promotions. Last season some of his duties included running the Soldier Field Press Box and producing the Blitz road radio broadcasts for WCFL radio.

The 24-year-old Kojich is a December 1982 graduate of Purdue University where he earned a bachelor's degree in telecommunications. He worked in the Purdue Sports Information Office for three years and was the senior student assistant in 1982. While working in the Purdue SID office, Kojich covered football, men's basketball, baseball and wrestling. He also was a part-time sports writer for the *Lafayette Journal & Courier* in his final semester.

The Gary, Ind. native graduated from Culver Military Acadamy in 1978 and is presently making his home in Harvey, Ill.

Born: October 19, 1959.

CHICAGO BLITZ RADIO NETWORK

Duane Dow

Jim Grabowski

Duane Dow, the Voice of Northwestern University football and basketball, and former Green Bay Packer standout Jim Grabowski are the play-by-play and color commentators, respectively, for the 1984 Chicago Blitz Radio Network.

Dow is a veteran sportscaster with many years of dedicated sports service in the Midwest. Along with doing Northwestern football and basketball on WAIT, Dow also has broadcast numerous collegiate games for the MIZLOU Sports Network. Some of the Colgate graduate's broadcasts include: three Blue-Gray All-Star games, two Peach Bowls, three Tangerine Bowls, and two California Bowls. Dow is also the sports director of WAIT radio.

Grabowski lettered three years at the University of Illinois (1963-65) prior to matriculating to the NFL's great Packer teams of the 1960's. While at Illinois, the Taft High School graduate twice was named All-American and was voted the Big Ten's MVP after the 1965 season. Grabowski's pro career ended in 1972 after a pair of Super Bowl titles and numerous accolades for his steady performance. Presently, Grabowski provides the color commentary for the Illinois football radio broadcasts.

WAIT (820 AM), in conjunction with Century Broadcasting Sports, is the flag-ship station for the eight-station network which will air all 18 road and home games. The eight-stations on the network include: WLNR (Lansing, Ill.), WFXW (Geneva, Ill.), WJOL (Joliet, Ill.), WMRO (Aurora, Ill.), WZOE (Princeton, Ill.), WCOE-WLOI (LaPorte, Ind.), WINS (Michigan City, Ind.), and WGNW (Milwaukee, WI.).

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